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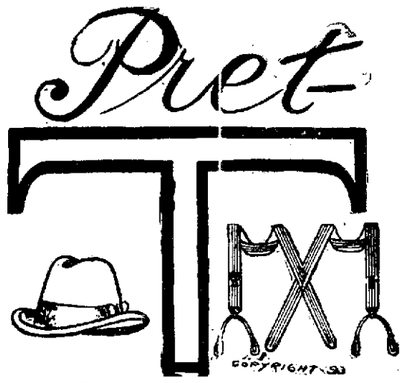

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2:28 class trotting, closes Aug. 21,	500	2:50 trotting stake, 26 entries.....	1,000
WEDNESDAY, AUG. 30.		2:33 class trotting, closes Aug. 21..	500
Yearling trotting stake, 7 entries,..	200	**FRIDAY, SETEMBER 1.**	
2-year old pacing stake, 11 entries,..	300	4-year old pacing stake, 13 entries..	400
2:22 trotting stake, 13 entries,.....	1,000	Free for all trotting, closes Aug. 21,	500
2:40 class trotting, closes Aug. 21,	500	2:25 pacing stake, 18 entries.....	1,000

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AHEAD OF THE TIMES

A New York Paper Publishes the President's Message

BEFORE ITS DELIVERY IN CONGRESS,

Thus Laying Itself Liable to Heavy Penalties—But the Breach Being the Result of a Mistake, is Overlooked for This Time.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The Sun prints the following:

Telegraphic copies of the president's message were sent to the offices of afternoon papers on Tuesday and each journal was notified that the Washington manager of the United Press had obtained the same upon his pledge that it should be printed only when made known that it had reached congress. The Commercial Advertiser did not wait to have the message released, but appeared on the street with it as soon as it could get it in type. One of the regulations of the United Press is that when this particular offense is committed, the paper so erring is deprived of the United Press service for thirty days and can secure the restoration of service only after the payment of $1,000. The telegraphic operator was promptly withdrawn from the editorial rooms of the Commercial Advertiser and its United Press was cut out. The following correspondence ensued:

NEW YORK, Aug. 9, 1893.

HON. CHARLES A. DANA, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED PRESS—*Dear Sir:* We are the counsel of the Commercial Advertiser association, the publisher of the Commercial Advertiser. We have made a careful inquiry respecting the very regretable occurrence of yesterday in the premature publication by that paper of the president's message. From statements made to us, and from our investigation, we can assure you that the publication was made in entire good faith, the editor believing, through what now appears to be an error in telephoning, that the release of the message was ordered, and as soon as he ascertained that the release was not authorized the press and the publication and sale of further papers was immediately stopped.

Col. Cockerell and Mr. Oates, the editor, and all connected with the paper have the very greatest regret of the occurrence, and are especially anxious that you should be assured that the publication was made entirely through mistake. It is proper, perhaps, to state that a withholding of your service will practically prevent the newspapers from obtaining news, and cause great damage to the reputation of the paper and to its owners. We sincerely trust that in this particular instance you will see your way clear to rescind the order for withholding your service from the paper and we can assure you that the greatest possible care will be taken in the future to prevent the recurrence of such another mistake. Very respectfully yours,

BUTLER, STILLMAN & HUBBARD,
THE UNITED PRESS
NEW YORK, Aug. 9, 1893.

GENTLEMEN: In consideration of the explanations you offer and the sentiments you manifest, it has been decided that in the present instance the penalty of $1,000 fine and suspension of the receipt of news for thirty days, which is imposed by the rules of the United Press, shall not be exacted, but that the Commercial Advertiser shall be maintained in the enjoyment of all the rights and advantages of the United Press, just as if there had been no transgression on its part.

Yours very truly,
C. A. DANA, President.

Messrs. Butler, Stillman & Hubbard.

[From the Commercial Advertiser of Yesterday.]

EXPLANATION.

Yesterday, through a misunderstanding, the message of the president to congress was issued by the Commercial Advertiser fifteen minutes in advance of its delivery to congress. There was no intention to violate the rules of the United Press, in which corporation the Commercial Advertiser holds its franchise and certificate of membership.

The Commercial Advertiser regrets exceedingly this blunder. There was no intentional breach on its part, though technically there was a violation of one of the most salutary by-laws of the association, to-wit: "Any member or client of the United Press who shall anticipate the publication of any public document confided to the United Press for publication at a specified time shall be suspended from the use of news service for thirty days, and the service shall not be restored thereafter unless upon the payment of $1,000."

This is an excellent provision and the Commercial Advertiser heartily approves of it.

We are pleased to announce that the relations between the Commercial Advertiser and the United Press are entirely harmonious. The managers of the United Press know that the incident referred to was not the result of intention on our part.

OHIO DEMOCRACY.

Mass-Meeting in Music Hall on the Eve of the State Convention.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 10.—Very little public interest was manifested in the mass-meeting at Music hall last night intended to serve as a preface to the convention, and it was not until 9:15 o'clock that the audience had attained dimensions that warranted Gustav Tafe, who had been selected as chairman, in rapping for order.

Ex-Congressman T. A. Follette, who was the first speaker, laid stress upon the idea that the present financial stringency was due to what the republican party had already done, and not what the democrats proposed to do. He was followed by R. B. Marshal, of Dayton, and Candidate Lawrence T. Neal, who spoke at a late hour. The latter confined his remarks to tariff reform based on the plank of the last democratic convention.

The committee on resolutions remained in session until after midnight. The roll of twenty-one districts was called and each member responded with his views on the silver question. With two exceptions, the message of President Cleveland was condemned and the opinion was expressed that the platform should declare for free-coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1. Finally it was decided to refer the platform to a committee with instructions to report at 9 o'clock this morning. The committee is as follows: J. J. McMahon, Dayton; H. Bohl, Marietta; W. W. Armstrong, Cleveland; Judge Wermster, Cincinnati; W. D. Marshall, Dayton; O. H. Clark, Youngstown. The entire committee is free-coinage in sentiment.

Advance in Silver Certificates.

NEW YORK, Aug 9.—Silver certificates advanced to 75 bid and 90 asked at the stock exchange. There is a brisk demand for the certificates, while the supply is smaller than for a long time. To-day's price is the highest since June 27 last. No transactions are reported at the board up to 1 o'clock. Commercial bar rose 1⅛ to 75, and Mexican dollars ⅛ to 60 cents.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Allegan, Mich., was visited by a $3,0000 fire yesterday.

—Fuller Bros., New York commission merchants, assigned yesterday.

—A heavy earthquake shock was felt in San Francisco shortly after 2 a. m. yesterday. Two shocks were experienced at San Diego Tuesday.

—The extensive harness factory E. A. Ringrose & Co., of Philadelphia, was totally destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Loss, $75,000; partly insured.

—B. M. Crowley, of Chicago, committed suicide by asphyxiation yesterday. His dead body was found in a bank room with the gas turned on at full head.

—The Linden Steel Co., one of the largest manufacturing concerns in Pittsburgh, Pa., has suspended operations. All the employes, about 800, have been discharged.

—The papal legate, Mgr. Satolli, has accepted an invitation to become the guest of Archbishop Corrigan in New York, and expects to visit him some time next week.

—A. L. Schoppe, a prominent druggist at Denver, Col., was shot through the head early yesterday morning by a burglar who was trying to rob his store. Schoppe's wound is considered fatal.

—Little Willie Finn, one of the children on whom a murderous assault was made by their father, John Finn, of St. Louis, while he was delirious with fever, Tuesday morning, died at 1:40 p. m. yesterday.

—The Utes are off their reservation in large numbers and are becoming troublesome, plundering as they go and wilfully destroying game. Twenty-five mounted men have left Durango, Col., in pursuit.

—Knights of Pythias in uniform and regalia marched through the Midway plaisance to the strains of band music yesterday, adding to the picturesque scene on the street and attracting crowds of visitors.

—Earthquakes were felt in several districts in north Styria, Austria, Tuesday morning. Several buildings in different parts of the affected districts were damaged by the shocks. No loss of life has been reported.

—President Depew of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Co., says that after the bad day in Wall street, when prices went to pieces, the through travel between New York and Chicago fell off 25 per cent.

—The hall of the house was closed shortly before 12 o'clock yesterday, and the friends of free silver began their caucus. The attendance was small, and up to 12:30 not more than than fifty members made their appearance.

—A run started on the Germania savings bank of New Orleans at noon Tuesday, and by 4 o'clock, the hour of closing, $80,000 had been drawn out. Tuesday evening the presidents of the five savings banks met and decided to require sixty days' notice from depositors.

—The Commercial bank of Minneapolis, Minn., has closed its doors. The bank is a small local institution doing business on the east side. Its capital is $200,000, its deposits $300,000 and its time deposits $22,000. The loans and discounts at the last statement amounted to $642,000.

—On Saturday last there was a cloudburst in the vicinity of Gratz, the capital of Styria. The mountain streams almost instantly became raging torrents and the waters swept down into the valleys, doing great damage. Many people were drowned, many head of live stock were carried away by the floods and much property was destroyed.

—Judge Goggin, on motion of Attorneys Walker and Eddy and Judge McCann, granted the World's Columbian Exposition Co. a hearing in proceedings to dismiss the injunction granted by Judge Stein on application of Charles W. Clingman, restraining the World's fair management from closing the gates on Sunday. The hearing was set for to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

—The national banks of New York city have unanimously decided to increase the rates on call loans of recent date to 12 per cent. per annum, and those of long standing to 10 per cent. Their reason for this, they say, is that so many persons have laid down on them that they are compelled to do this in self-protection.

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association Clubs.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT CLEVELAND.

Clevelands.....	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—4
Louisvilles.....	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

Batteries—Cuppy and Gunson; Rhodes and Weaver.

SECOND GAME.

Clevelands.....	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	3	*—9
Louisvilles.....	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

Batteries—Young and Gunson; Menefee and Grim.

AT BROOKLYN.

Brooklyns.....	1	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	1—8
New Yorks.....	4	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0—7

Batteries—Stein and Kinslow; Baldwin and Kelly.

AT PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburghs.....	0	2	3	1	0	0	1	0	1—8
Chicagos.....	2	1	0	5	0	0	0	1	0—7

Batteries—Terry and Sugden; Hutchison and Schriver.

AT WASHINGTON.

Bostons.....	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	*—9
Washingtons.....	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—2

Batteries—Nichols and Bennett; Stockdale, Maul and McGuire.

AT BALTIMORE.

Philadelphias.....	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	0—6
Baltimores.....	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0—3

Batteries—Weyling and Cross; Hawke, Mullane and Robinson.

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

St. Louis at Cleveland.
Louisvilles at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnatis at Chicago.
Philadelphias at New York.
Brooklyns at Washington.
Bostons at Baltimore.

Southern League Games.

At Mobile—Mobiles, 8; Montgomerys, 2.

Receiver Appointed as a Matter of Protection.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—William F. R. Mills has been appointed receiver of the Hamilton Loan and Trust Co. The company has loaned, it is said, over $2,000,000 on western farms, and has a paid-in capital of $352,000. At the office it was said yesterday that the receiver had been appointed as a matter of protection and to save assets, as it is claimed that there is a large surplus of assets over liabilities.

To Prevent Working People From Hoarding Currency.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 10.—It was decided at a meeting of banks of the Clearinghouse association yesterday not to furnish manufacturing establishments with cash for pay-rolls, but to issue instead checks for small amounts. The object of this action was to prevent the hoarding of currency by the working people.

Alfred Packer, the Man-Eater, Becomes Insane.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 10.—Alfred Packer, the man-eater, who ate five of his companions in a mining camp some ten years ago, and who is now in prison under a cumulative sentence of forty years, is reported to have become insane, and an investigation has been ordered. Packer's attorney recently tried to break the cumulative sentence, but failed.

THE BANK WRECKERS

Who Caused the Failure of the Indianapolis National

ALL TO BE VIGOROUSLY PROSECUTED.

The First National Bank of Nashville Closed—To Go Into Voluntary Liquidation—The Verge of Financial Ruin—Other Suspensions.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 10.—The men who are charged with wrecking the Indianapolis national bank are to be prosecuted. The legal proceedings may begin at any time. United States Attorney Belknap has been in conference with the examiner and receiver for three days, and is acquained with the facts relating to the suspension of the bank. As soon as the necessary preparations can be made warrants will be issued for the arrest of the men, who appear to be guilty of having violated the national banking law.

Receiver Hawkins has received from Washington a letter of general instructions in which he is charged to take special cognizance of any violations of the banking law.

District Attorney Burke had been called into consultation by Examiner Young before the receipt of this letter by the receiver and it had practically been determined that the United States court should take cognizance of the acts of men connected with the management of the bank. It is the understanding that the persons who will be accused of wrecking the bank will be arrested on warrants issued on affidavits made before United States Commissioner Van Buren. Any citizen can make such affidavit.

A meeting of depositors has been called for to-night to take action toward prosecuting the wreckers.

The First National Bank of Nashville, Tenn., Succumbs.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 10.—The First national bank last night posted a notice that it was closed. The bank has lost deposits steadily for some weeks, and this finally nearly exhausted the currency. The bank is solvent, and will easily pay out when given time to realize on the paper and securities held by it. The capital stock is $1,000,000, and on publication of the last statement there were $1,005,000 deposits.

After the suspension of the First national bank the directors of the Fourth national held a meeting, those present representing several millions of property, and signed a guaranty, pledging themselves and their individual estates to the payment of all deposits. They further state that the bank is able to meet all of its obligations.

Edgar Jones, president of the Union Bank and Trust Co., says in an interview that his bank will open as usual to-day.

John M. Sperry, president of the Merchant's national in an interview says his bank will open as usual to-day.

Will Go Into Voluntary Liquidation.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 10.—Mitchell's bank has given notice that it will go into voluntary liquidation on October 1, and that no more deposits or collections will be received. Tuesday the bank had twice as much capital as necessary to meet depositors. A stock bank will be organized to succeed this bank and it may begin operations January 1. The Mitchell bank was the property of the late S. M. Mitchell, and the stock in the proposed new bank will be held principally by the Mitchell heirs. Three of the Mitchell heirs had $57,000 in Indianapolis banks during the recent flurry. They investigated and checked out $16,000, leaving the remainder as evidence of their belief in the stability of the concerns in which they had deposited.

Brought to the Verge of Financial Ruin.

LEBANON, Pa., Aug. 10.—Robert H. Coleman, the iron millionaire, has executed a deed of assignment to his brother-in-law, Archibald Rogers, of Hyde Park, New York, and L. P. Kendall, of Reading, Pa., vice-president of the Pennsylvania Trust Co., both of whom have for over a year been managing his estate. The document transfers all the property to the assignees, in trust, excepting Mr. Coleman's personal estate. The liabilities will approximate $3,500,000 and it is claimed they exceed the assets. Mr. Coleman's interest in the Jacksonville, Tempa & Key West railway has brought him to the verge of financial ruin.

Agreed to Suspend for Sixty Days.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 10.—The directors of the City savings bank held a meeting last night and unanimously decided to suspend payment for sixty days.

The suspension is caused by the stringency of the money market. The bank is considered solvent, and will pay depositors and stockholders in full. Deposits, $40,707.90; assets, $151,499, 42.90 per cent. of which is good. The directors of the bank have personally pledged themselves and their estates to the payment of all depositors in full.

Boycotted Into Failure.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 10.—J. M. Ryder, wholesale cigar and liquor dealer, assigned yesterday, with assets and liabilities in the neighborhood of $10,000. He has been dealing in non-union cigars, and four years ago the cigarmakers' union began a systematic boycott upon him, which has been vigorously prosecuted ever since. To this he ascribed his failure.

Death of a Well-Known Newspaper Man.

BOSTON, Aug. 10.—Wm. Bowers, one of the best-known newspaper men in Boston, died in the Revere house yesterday morning, aged 53.

Buckleys Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggists

Sample Dolls at Half Price.

We show a lot of sample dolls at half original cost. These dolls have to be seen to be appreciated.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

THE fair at Homer is in progress. It draws large crowds of people every day

The Indiana State Federation of Labor.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Aug. 10.—At Yesterday's meeting of the State Federation of Labor resolutions were adopted changing the date of the annual meeting one month later; prohibiting the employment of child labor in stores and other establishments; against bakers doing night work, and calling upon that fraternity to organize unions; deprecating the nonsupport of the cigar laborers; calling for the strict enforcement of the law prohibiting the employment of child labor; encouraging the co-operation of union labor throughout the state; recommending that the apprentice system be changed in the various trades so as to prevent the employment of unnecessary numbers; demanding the abolition of all national banks, and that money necessary for the transaction of business be issued by the national government direct, and that all telephone, telegraph and railway lines be under the control of the government.

Resolutions asking for equal taxation, extoling Gov. Altgeld for pardoning the anarchists and asking that none but union labor be employed in the erection of public buildings were referred.

The New York Life Insurance Co. to the Rescue.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 10.—The owners of the $600,000 bonds of the city of Indianapolis, defaulted July 1, will be able to secure money in a few days. The city council will meet tonight to confirm an agreement between the city comptroller and the New York Life Insurance Co. The insurance company agrees to carry the $600,000 seven-thirty bonds until July 1, 1894, the city to pay the company 7 3-10 per cent. interest as long as the company carries the bonds up that date. The city is to pay the company about $3,000 commissions. However, the city, at any time before July 1, 1894, can take up the bonds whenever the market is easier and whenever a lower rate of interest can be secured. This contract will run for a year only, but if nothing better is offered it may be continued.

In a Bad Condition.

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 10.—Jacob Bond, of the defunct bank of Cortland, was arrested last night as he stepped from the Lincoln train. The principal charge against him is that of receiving deposits after the bank was known to be insolvent. The affairs of the bank are said by those in a position to know to be in a bad condition.

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—A western man whose wealth consisted largely in mining interests, insisted that his only child, a daughter, should acquire a complete mastery of mining affairs and all forms of business connected with it and sent her to college for that purpose.

—Some of our present day children are startling occasionally. A little girl of five years recently used the expression "post-mortem judgment." Upon her brother's questioning her and insisting that she should define it, she said: "Well, if you do a thing and then afterward wish you had done another thing, that's post-mortem judgment."

—Mrs. Abby Hutchinson Patton, the "Abby Hutchinson" of the famous family of singers, recently died and was buried at the old home in Milford, N. H. The only surviving member of the family of sixteen children is John, who lives at High Rock, Lynn, Mass., and is in his seventy-first year. Three of Mrs. Patton's best-known compositions are "Mrs. Lofty and I," "Kind words Can Never Die" and "If I Were a Voice."

—Chauncey M. Depew remarks: "When I attend a dinner of my German fellow-citizens I am a German. When I sit down to a banquet of the Sons of New England I am a descendant of the Pilgrim fathers. I am also an Irishman at Irish dinners, a Frenchman at French dinners, etc. I have, on a pinch, changed my nationality three times inside of twenty-four hours and never suffered anything worse than a little indigestion for it."

—Two reverend and eloquent divines of the Church of England, at Gloucester, were, on a recent Sunday, the victims of either shocking baseness at the hands of the sermon factory which has been told about, or of a deplorable slip-up in the distribution of the plate-matter discourses. The same sermon, word for word, was preached in the morning by the vicar at one of the city churches, and in the evening at the cathedral by one of the minor canons.

—A well known Washington woman has a habit of writing postal cards to herself one day as reminders of special duties to which she needs to give attention on the next. Which is like a bit of provision among those notoriously-improvident folk—stage people. It is a common thing for actors and actresses on the road to send money orders to themselves at coming places on their route list, which is often the only care for the future many of them will take.

—Charles T. Russell, of Allegheny, Pa., announces that the millennium will surely arrive in October of 1914. We are now in the "lapping time," between the hay of the gospel and the grass of the millennium era. This "lapping time" began in October of 1874, and will last forty years. During this period the kingdoms of the world will be overthrown by the anarchists, nihilists, socialists and nationalists. At the same time the Hebrews will all be in Palestine.

—Reviewing the post-official career of the presidents of the United States, a Washington writer notes that six men—Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Jackson, Johnson and Hayes—became planters or farmers upon retiring from public life; that five—Van Buren, Fillmore, Tyler, Grant and Cleveland—openly tried to get another term; that five—Van Buren, Polk, Fillmore, Pierce and Grant—traveled extensively at the close of their official career, and that four—Adams, Pierce, Buchanan and Hayes—sooner or later became recluses.

THE eldest daughter of the Rev. Dr Benjamin Szold, Miss Henrietta Szold, of Baltimore, has been chosen acting secretary of the American Jewish Publication Society, and will soon take up her residence in Philadelphia. She is a writer much admired by the Israelites of this country.

JOHN O'CONNELL and his wife, of New York, are the parents of nineteen children, all of them living and the eldest but 17 years of age. There were born to them one set of triplets and one pair of twins.

ALL that honesty, experience and skill can do to produce a perfect pill, has been employed in making DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The result is a specific for sick headache, biliousness and constipation. W. F. Hooker.

FROM WASHINGTON.

A Democratic Caucus which Failed of Practical Results

AND LEFT ITS PARTICIPANTS AT SEA.

A Bill To Secure the Pay of the Employes of the Extra Session—Silver Purchase—How the Gold Reserve Grows—Congressional.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Almost every democratic senator was present at the party caucus held yesterday morning. The meeting was convened at 10:30 o'clock, and when the hour of noon arrived nothing definite had been accomplished and an adjournment was taken until immediately after the adjournment of the senate.

The resolution of Mr. Hale (rep.), Tuesday, which so suddenly and unexpectly brought the question of the speedy repeal of the Sherman law before the senate, it was thought by some democrats, placed them in a position where a conference became necessary in order that the policy of the party might be discussed and unanimity of action agreed upon. As might be expected with the democrats as divided upon this subject as the republicans, there was a diversity of opinion, and a vast amount of unimportant talk was indulged in, with the inevitable result of nothing being determined upon, when the noon hour came around.

The discussion was decidedly animated, and at times there was a tinge of sarcasm in the tones of those who were inclined to look upon the attitude of the president, as defined in his message, as being in opposition to the platform of the democratic party.

No definite proposition was advanced, and when the caucus adjourned it was just as much at sea as when it was called together.

Immediately after the caucus numerous conferences were held between the democrats and free-silver republicans of the same persuasion, the result of which was apparent as soon as the journal was read. A motion was made to adjourn, and it was noticeable that the silver republicans voted with the democrats to carry out that proposition. This was taken as an evidence of a desire for time, and the caucus immediately reassembled.

The caucus adjourned, after a session lasting about two hours, without reaching any conclusion as to a line of policy. There was a strong difference of opinion respecting the silver question, and the caucus adjourned to meet again in a few days. Meanwhile the subject of silver repeal will not figure in the senate for the purpose is to adjourn from to-day till Monday.

To Secure the Pay of Sessional Employes for the Extra Session.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—On Tuesday the house did its part in the passage of a joint resolution intended to meet the objections of the first comptroller regarding the pay of sessional employes. The comptroller decided that the appropriation for such employes made in the legislative act for 1894, passed by the last congress, is only applicable to the payment of those employes at the regular session commencing in December. This prevents the payment, under the construction of the law, of all the employes of the house and senate for the special session now under way. The resolution makes this appropriation available for this session. The senate yesterday referred the resolution to the committee on appropriations, and it will be reported and passed at the next meeting of the senate.

Silver Purchases.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—The offers of silver to the treasury department yesterday aggregated 357,000 ounces, and the amount purchased was 117,000 ounces at $0.7515 an ounce. The same price was tendered for the remainder. The purchases thus far this month aggregate 831,000 ounces.

The Gold Reserve Grows.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The gold in the treasury is to-day $3,157,854 above the $100,000,000 gold reserve.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(Extra Session.)

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The senate, was in session to-day only twenty minutes, and a considerable part of that time was occupied by the chaplain in eloquent eulogy of the late Senator Stanford, of California.

The only item of business transacted was the reference to the committee on appropriations of the house joint resolution to provide for the payment of sessional employes of the house during the present extraordinary session.

A motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Gorman, the parliamentary leader of the majority, and Mr. Platt, in the like role of the minority, demanded the yeas and nays.

All the democratic senators voted for adjournment, and were reinforced by all the senators from the silver-producing states. The negative vote was given by the republicans. The vote was: Yeas, 46; nays, 21, and the senate adjourned until to-day.

How Did They Get the Explosives?

FRANKFORT, Ky., Aug. 10.—The convicts made another daring attempt to blow up the penitentiary with nitro-glycerine Tuesday night, but were foiled by the timely discovery of Warden Norman. The principals were the Reeves brothers, and a man named Millard, all serving terms of thirty-one years each. From the quantity of dynamite, nitro-glycerine, and other combustibles found in their possession they evidently intended to make a death struggle for liberty after blowing up the prison walls.

The Affairs of Lazarus Silverman's Defunct Bank.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—The examination into the affairs of Lazarus Silverman's defunct bank was begun yesterday before Judge Scales. Adolph Kunz, Mr. Silverman's bookkeeper, stated that the total liabilities amounted to $1,691,079.75, and the assets to $2,519,384.73.

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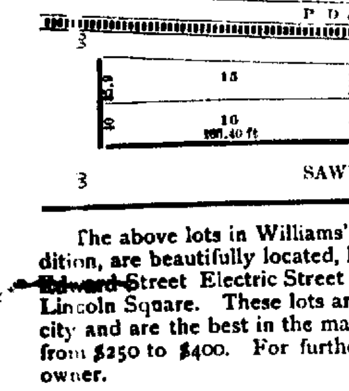

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, June 1, 1893.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Bank of Decatur," in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, James H. Eckels, Comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The National Bank of Decatur," in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon, and the State of Illinois, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section fifty-one hundred and sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

(Seal.) In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this 1st day of June, 1893.

JAMES H. ECKELS,
Comptroller of the Currency.

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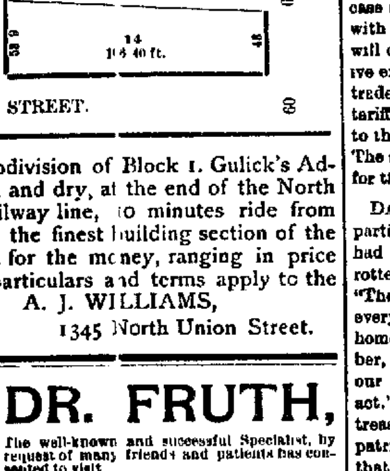

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Young Men, who through ignorance or the thoughtless exuberance of youthful spirits are subjects of self abuse and as a result their mind and manhood are ruined; vim, vigor and physical structure sapped by emissions, vital drain in urine; which is a terrible waste upon the system, impoverishing the blood, robbing the body of the precious elements of precious manhood, shaking the nervous system from center to periphery, attacking the very citadel of life, should wake up and take treatment and resolve to be a man before disease, idiocy, insanity, falling fits, or total impotency result, which would forever prevent your own interference in your future welfare and make a cure unattainable.

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In the matter of the estate of James L. Neil, deceased. Agnes E. Naftel, J. Wallace Neil, David S. Neil, Jennie B. Naftel, heirs, creditors and all parties interested in said estate:

You are hereby notified that on Monday, August the 28th, 1893, the executors of the estate of James L. Neil deceased, will present their final report to the county court of the county and state aforesaid and ask the court to approve the same. At which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose to do so.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1893.

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THURSDAY EVE., AUG. 10, 1893.

By-the-way who is Cleveland's secretary of state?

Some Democrat will have to accept the nomination for governor of Ohio.

The gold in the treasury was yesterday $3,157,857 above the $100,000,000 gold reserve.

Astronomers say there is now a remarkable tempest in the sun. Probably there has been an election in that orb and the Democrats have carried it.

Two hundred and fifty bills were introduced in the Senate yesterday. This looks as if somebody was disposed to consider some other matters besides the silver question.

Mr. Cleveland and his free-trade theorists will discover before he completes his term of office that the tariff has something to do with the present condition of labor.

A large majority of Republicans in the country, who have been interviewed on the President's message, give it as their candid opinion that the threat to rip up protection has much to do with the present prostration.

Many of the factories now closed down will reopen, as some have already done, on a basis of wages reduced. This is the only way they can safely be reopened. The Democratic victory means lower wages, from which, for the present, there is no escape.

The Democratic national convention declared protective tariffs unconstitutional, while the constitution of the United States clearly fixes the right of the government to coin silver; and yet Grover Cleveland postpones the tariff his party declared unconstitutional and stops to make war on silver.

Mr. Cleveland knows how compromising a view of the silver question is from a partisan standpoint. In his letter of acceptance referring to it he said: "Every dollar put in the hands of the people should be of the same intrinsic value or purchasing power. With this condition absolutely guaranteed both gold and silver can be safely utilized upon equal terms in the adjustment of our currency." He does not talk that way in his message.

While every protectionist is satisfied that the enactment of a free-trade tariff would seriously cripple the business and prosperity of the country they would, in case men who have had no experience with a free-trade tariff in this country will only learn by disastrous and expensive experience, be glad to see the free-traders of the country enact a free-trade tariff now, and let those who want to go to that school for information go at once. The sooner they go the better it will be for the country.

Dan Voorhees, just after the non-partisan views of the President on silver had been read in the Senate, made a rotten partisan speech in which he said: "The senator from Maine forgets that every curse of the Sherman act comes home to roost on that side of the chamber, not on this. Not a single vote on our side was given for that miserable act." Partisanship, even to the limit of treason, is Dan Voorhees' measure of patriotism, and he is made of the stuff that unerringly leads him to attempt at the outset to turn into a partisan brawl that which the President just tried to remove from partisanship. Dan Voorhees did not, however, say that he voted against the repeal of the Sherman act on the 7th day of February, 1893, and he forgot to mention that the Sherman act was passed to defeat worse measures, among which was free silver, for which Mr. Voorhees voted with great regularity for fifteen years. He also forgot that it was to the free silver gang, to which Voorhees belonged, that Citizen Cleveland addressed the famous letter in 1891, in which he told them if their silver policy were adopted it would revolutionize our entire monetary system, and that he and other Democrats said, that ended Mr. Cleveland's chances for nomination for President. When Mr. Voorhees talks about "miserable acts" it would be well were he to recall his own votes in the past and determine whether he now owns his own vote or whether Mr. Cleveland has got control of it.

At Bay On the Tariff.

The edict has gone forth in the message of the great prophet of tariff reform (free trade), that the tariff question is to be postponed for a while. During the recent campaign, when Mr. Cleveland was coquetting with the free coinage of silver element of the country for electoral votes, and when, as reported by those who claim to know, that he gave those people to understand that if elected the free silver people would be fairly treated by him, the country was told that the vital question was a complete overthrow of our "iniquitous tariff system;" that under it "the back of toil" was bearing the burdens that the rich ought to bear, and, in short, that every man, woman and child in this country, on account of the protective tariff was taxed $200 a year. But now it turns out, according to the views of Mr. Cleveland, that the tariff question ranks only as of secondary importance. Regardless of the fact that we have now an army of idle men, who, when the "iniquities" of protection were presented to them by Mr. Cleveland's party were employed at good wages that great panacea for all our ills, "a tariff for revenue only," is sent to the rear in disorder, and we are to continue to be ground down with tariff taxes. Oh what consistency!

But the president assigns as a reason for such postponement that financial legislation at present is so urgent that tariff legislation must be postponed. Why postpone? If a revenue tariff has the elements of benefit in it that was claimed for it by Candidate Cleveland and other campaigners before election, the people certainly need these benefits more when in distress than when the country is prosperous. If it is dangerous to legislate on the tariff now why will it not be dangerous at any other time? If the tariff operates as a tax on the laboring classes by "increasing the price of the goods they buy by precisely the amount of the tariff on such goods," as Mr. Cleveland has held it does, why should that tax not be removed when the laboring classes are out of employment and are least able to pay it? But perhaps the president postponed the Democratic revenue tariff to quiet the apprehension of manufacturers. If. this is true, it amounts to an attempt to deceive those who have capital invested in manufactories. Neither the president nor any other man can deceive the men who have capital invested. Such men always have caution enough when danger is threatened to protect their capital. It is not a matter of politics with them. Capital is sensitive and cautious and is not stupid enough to be deceived by the leaders of a party that does not know where it is "at," and his left-handed assurance to capital in manufactories will have no power to reassure manufacturers. Mr. Cleveland and his people may by false assumptions deceive voters, but they will find that their ability to deceive hesitating capital will fall far short of putting those engaged in manufacturing in a condition of mind where they will not fear the threats of the Democratic party to enact such tariff laws that will seriously affect every dollar invested in manufactories. If Mr. Cleveland and his party desire to take away the most potent element in bringing about distrust, on account of the return of their party to power, let them publicly and definitely abandon all intention to carry out their threats to make war on our manufacturing interests.

GOOD FOR EVIL.

An Ill-Treated Burro Saves the Life of Its Cruel Master.

There was hardly a breath of air stirring and the torrid sun beat down on the sandy road as if it had made up its mind to burn it out of existence. All around was the sandy plain of Arizona and as far as the eye could reach in any direction it met no soothing patch of green except such trees as rose above the adobe walls of Tucson. On the road a man and a burro could be seen. The two trips to town obtained nothing for Santiago—nothing more than the mescal he had drunk—and on the way he beat the burro nearly every step of the way. It was not late and the sun was still trying to consume the sand by heat, but the little beast went along and paid little attention to the blows from the club Santiago struck him with. He probably thought that his master was not responsible, so he just switched his tail as if he was bothered with flies.

When they reached the small dilapidated adobe structure that was called home, Santiago threw himself down on a straw pile without stopping to draw water from the well for his faithful servant. The burro brayed several times to attract his master's attention, and at last the man got up and drew three buckets of water and left them where the beast of burden could drink. The animal did not take more than one and then went to see what he could find among the straw to satisfy his hunger.

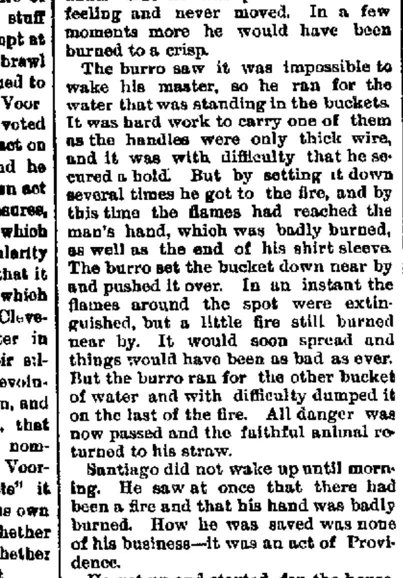
Santiago laid down while the mescal burned into his brain and made him nervous. He could stand it no longer, so he tried to get up, but fell back, and then concluded he would smoke a cigarette. With great difficulty he managed to roll the tobacco and paper into desired form and lighted it. The smoke soothed him, and soon his eyes began to droop and everything got hazy.

In a few minutes there was a small blaze, and still the man slept soundly, unconscious of his danger. The flames came closer and increased in size. Soon they were seen by the burro, who gazed at them strangely a few moments, and then came to the conclusion that his master was in danger. He forgot all about the cruel blows, and only thought to save the man's life. He ran up to him and commenced to drag at his clothes with his teeth; but all in vain, as the man slept on. The flames were within a foot of him now, and an occasional tongue would lick the man's hand. But he was past all sense of feeling and never moved. In a few moments more he would have been burned to a crisp.

The burro saw it was impossible to wake his master, so he ran for the water that was standing in the buckets. It was hard work to carry one of them as the handles were only thick wire, and it was with difficulty that he secured a hold. But by setting it down several times he got to the fire, and by this time the flames had reached the man's hand, which was badly burned, as well as the end of his shirt sleeve. The burro set the bucket down near by and pushed it over. In an instant the flames around the spot were extinguished, but a little fire still burned near by. It would soon spread and things would have been as bad as ever. But the burro ran for the other bucket of water and with difficulty dumped it on the last of the fire. All danger was now passed and the faithful animal returned to his straw.

Santiago did not wake up until morning. He saw at once that there had been a fire and that his hand was badly burned. How he was saved was none of his business—it was an act of Providence.

He got up and started for the house, and as he was passing the well the little burro was standing near by and brayed, hoping that his master would give him some water. But Santiago's hand hurt him and he was in a bad temper, so instead of water he gave the animal a hard kick, and emphasized his action with a curse.—San Francisco Call.



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OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—Apropos of cards, skat, the great German game, is almost unknown in this country, outside of the German residents. Yet it is a game of such scientific profundity that it has a bibliography of its own. There is an encyclopædia of skat, innumerable treatises on its principles, a syntax and prosody, and, in fact, a literature of this one game which in itself makes a respectable library.

—Connected with the United States lighthouse equipment are 254 fog signals, 372 day beacons, 60 whistling buoys, 75 bell buoys and 4,143 other buoys. Of these last there are several kinds, the principal ones being known as spars, whistling, nun, can and bell buoys. The spar buoys are generally made of wood, the others of iron. There are also a number of bells and whistles used as fog signals to indicate the proximity of land.

—C. J. Bosman, of Valparaiso, Chili, proposes to sail from that city to Chicago in a seventeen-foot velocipede screw-propeller boat. His course has been mapped out along the coast of Chili southward and through the strait of Buenos Ayres, thence along the east coast, across the Caribbean sea and the gulf of Mexico to New Orleans, and on up the Mississippi to the Illinois river. He hopes to exhibit himself and his boat at the world's fair.

—According to an old legend the baby's dimples mark the spot where angel's fingers touched the child in bearing it from Heaven to earth, but the doctors have a different explanation. They say that dimples probably result from defective development of a muscle. When the muscle is called into use the defective portion fails to respond, and a hollow is left, into which the flesh and skin of the check, for example, fall, and thus the dimple is formed.

—Since the great caves of this country were turned into show places a close watch has to be kept on visitors to prevent their annexation of stalactites, "cave acorns," gypsum crystals and other curious and beautiful formations. Not even the broken stalactites lying about the floor can be appropriated, for these are gathered and sold by the owners or lessees of these holes in the ground. The slabs cut from cross sections of stalagmites are beautiful when polished, as they show concentric bands of brown, yellow, gray, cream and greenish white, like agates.

—To most people cemeteries are mournful places. There are several thousand Germans in the eastern district of Brooklyn who do not find them so, for it is their custom on Sundays and holidays, in pleasant weather, to go out to Cypress Hills or Evergreens with lunch baskets and bottled beer and have a right pleasant time. Their children tumble about the grass and enjoy the flowers and the birds and they never injure the headstones. Probably to these picnickers the burial ground serves all the purposes of a park, for Prospect park is a long way from the big German quarter of the city.

—Bob, the strong, silken-haired Eskimo dog brought from Behring sea around South America by the United States ship Yorktown, seemed to believe himself at home in his own Arctic regions on reaching New York. He was delighted with the snow storm that came on the day after the ship reached the navy yard, and spent a large portion of the day ashore running about in the snow. Bob is thoroughly good natured and on the best possible terms with his shipmates. He had a hard time in the ship's two passages through the tropics, and tried to keep cool by lying in the iron-shod waterways on deck.

—An actor who has "been out" in companies that had a limited repertory, requiring him to play two or three parts for a season and sometimes for a couple of seasons, declares that the effect on him of repeating the old speeches night after night was that the audience was learning them by heart. He says: "We are traveling all the time, of course, but after a while it seemed as if we were playing to the same people, and that they were merely listening to see how we would deliver the lines that they knew like the alphabet. I actually used to feel like stopping in the middle of the performance and apologizing, as if I were a negro minstrel caught in the act of repeating a regular Joe Miller."

—Dr. Wayland tells a good story of a young clergyman who preached a strong temperance sermon. When he had finished a deacon said to him: "I am afraid you have made a mistake. Mr. Jones, who pays the highest pew rent, is a distiller; he will be angry." The minister said: "O, I am sorry; I will go and explain it to Mr. Jones and remove any unfavorable impression and tell him that I did not mean him." Accordingly, he waited upon Mr. Jones, who, in addition to the profession of distilling, also carried on a good many other branches of trade, and a good many amusements, and was not distinguished above other men as being an ascetic. The pastor expressed his regret to Mr. Jones for anything in the sermon which hurt his feelings. He was somewhat relieved when, with a jovial air, Mr. Jones said: "O, bless you, don't mind that at all. It must be a mighty poor sermon that doesn't hit me somewhere."

Terrors of the Awful Pause.

We usually talk about the weather when there isn't anything else to talk about. This fact may tend to rob the subject of its importance, yet it should not. In fact it ought to be greatly in its favor, as it is ever ready and efficient in breaking the "awful pause." Have you ever been overtaken by the awful pause? Fortunate, indeed, if you have not, and entitled to heartiest sympathy if you have. It is truly awful, especially if courtesy demands that you should break it. It settles upon the best regulated companies like a nightmare, and seems to paralyze the tongue and put thought to flight. No one can think of anything to say, or fears to attempt to say it. Then, if ever, a fool is welcome, because he doesn't think before he speaks.—Pittsburgh Commercial-Gazette.

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The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have such faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,

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A DUTCH KIRMESS.

Strange Scenes and Sports at These Festive Gatherings.

On the second day the crowd really begins to swarm, and by evening all the avenues of the fair are jammed. the gasoline lamps shed a flaring light over the sea of heads; the hurdy-gurdies of the different merry-go-rounds try to drown one another; the managers of the theaters, with their companies in tights and spangles on the platforms beside them, are bawling through speaking-trumpets descriptions of the wonderful pieces about to be performed inside, occasionally giving short sketches as alluring samples; parties of young peasants and their sweethearts "charge" through the crowd. This "charge," which is peculiarly Dutch, is accomplished by from ten to twenty persons locking arms, with the weight forward, and acting on the principle of a battering-ram. It is very effective, and will open a lane through the densest throng. The chargers sing cheerfully during the onset, and the collisions are generally taken as neat bits of pleasantry. When the chargers reach, or have created, a comparatively open space, they form a ring, and jump up and down, shouting, "Hustle! Hustle!" in time to the steps, while the tempo is accelerated till the feet give out and the breath is gone.

What the Donnybrook Irishman would term "a fine bit of a fight" now follows. A cry has gone up from the two combatants who have squabbled about nothing—"Laren! Laren! Laren!" from one, and from the other, "Huizen! Huizen! Huizen!" Our village (Laren) is Catholic; Huizen, just beyond, is Protestant; and the feuds of the rival creeds, though mild in comparison with those of the past, are bitter yet. No decent and self-respecting Larenite would dream of marrying into Huizen, and vice versa. The women's cap and ear rings are of another pattern; so are the sabot, even those of the children. There is absolutely no social communication between the communities. In the olden days there was constant fighting, and many a head was broken and many a knife-stab given, but in these times, except on special occasions, the towns perserve a surly peace. But hot blood boils at kermess time, and the old trouble breaks out again, and the war-cries bring the reserves hurrying to the field, clearing for action as they come. In this case the police separate the brawlers, taking one to one end of the fair, and the other with a handsome cut on his head from his opponent's wooden shoe, in the opposite direction. It may be well to state, by the by, that a wooden shoe of the size worn hereabout, snatched off and used either as a club or projectile, makes a weapon of great effectiveness, and one very convenient to get at upon the first call of necessity.—R. W. Ranger, in Century.

HAWAIIAN NAMES.

Some of the Curious Ones By Which Natives Are Known.

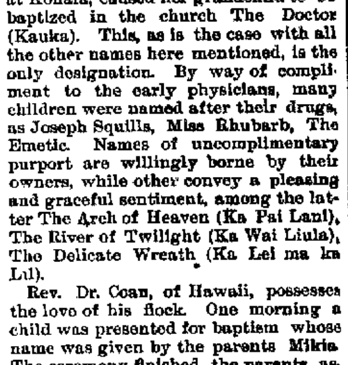
The following names of our proposed new citizens were to be found a few years ago on the taxpayers' list at Honolulu:

Mr. Scissors, The Thief, The Wandering Ghost, The Fool, The Man Who Washes His Dimples, Mrs. Oyster, The Tired Lizard, The Husband of Kaneia (a male deity), The Great Kettle, The First Nose, The Atlantic Ocean, "The Stomach, Poor Pussy, Mrs. Turkey, The Tenth Heaven.

The same names are bestowed indiscriminately upon males and females. A man living upon Beretania street, Honolulu, is called The Pretty Woman (Wahine Maikai); a male infant was recently christened Mrs. Tompkins; one little girl is named Sampson (Kamekona), another The Man; Susan (Kukona) is a boy, so are Polly Sarah, Jane Peter, and Henry Ann. A pretty little maid has been named by her fond parents The Pig Sty (Hale Pau). A relative hints at luxury in the diet of the coming man, calling the boy The Rat Eater (Kamea Oil Oe).

An old servant in Dr. Wright's family, at Kohala, caused her grandchild to be baptized in the church The Doctor (Kauka). This, as is the case with all the other names here mentioned, is the only designation. By way of compliment to the early physicians, many children were named after their drugs, as Joseph Squills, Miss Rhubarb, The Emetic. Names of uncomplimentary purport are willingly borne by their owners, while other convey a pleasing and graceful sentiment, among the latter The Arch of Heaven (Ka Pai Lani), The River of Twilight (Ka Wai Liula), The Delicate Wreath (Ka Lei ma ka Lil).

Rev. Dr. Coan, of Hawaii, possesses the love of his flock. One morning a child was presented for baptism whose name was given by the parents Mikia. The ceremony finished, the parents assured the doctor that they had named the baby for him. "But my name is not Michael," said the doctor, supposing Mikia to be aimed thereat. "We always hear your wife call you mikia, answered the mother She had mistaken Mrs. Coan's "my dear" for her husband's proper appellation.—Boston Gazette.



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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN I hereby notify all persons not to extend credit to my son, Richard Ellis, and that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by him. Aug. 2-d1w. L. C. ELLIS.

WANTED—A man with small capital to handle in Macon county the Burgess Improved Steam Washer. A good seller and money maker. Address the Lincoln Washing Machine Company, Lincoln, Ill., or call on me at St. Nicholas Hotel, Wednesday and Thursday, August 9th and 10th. GEO W. PARKER, General Agent Aug. 2 d1w.

WANTED—You to know that the Decatur Nursery can furnish anything that soil and care will produce in the nature of shrubs, trees, (including California poplar), bulbs and flowers as good as can be had anywhere. Come and see and you will buy at home. july7-tf W. H. TINCHER

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WANTED—An active, honest man—Salary $60 to $70 monthly, if suitable with chance to advance—to represent locally an established house. Enclose reference and self-addressed stamped envelope, Manager, Lock Drawer P, Chicago. july 28 d1mo

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WANTED—A good girl to do general house work. Apply at 733 West William street. july11-dtf

ROOMS.—Choice, clean rooms for World's Fair visitors, 50c per day each, meals 25c each, 35 minutes of the grounds. W. E. Hall, 106 to 100 Aberdeen St, Chicago july 11 d4w*

MACHINIST—The Decatur Machine Works at 127 and 129 South Franklin street is now prepared to do all kinds and classes of machine work at reasonable prices. My machinery is all new. Give me a trial, please m20-dtf JOHN SEELBACH.

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WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION.—The Illinois Central will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago Ill., Sale of tickets to commence April 25th, 1893, and continue daily to and including Oct. 31st, 1893, going journey to be commenced on day of sale. Tickets limited to continuous passage in each direction, and good for return until Nov. 15, 1893. For tickets call on T. Peniwell, C. T. A., 110 Library Block, or C. O. Judson Union Depot, Decatur, Ill apr24

NOTICE—The Illinois Central Railroad—On and after 17th, 1893, the new central station of the above road at Chicago, beautifully located between 12th street and Park Row, on the Lake Front will be opened for the arrival and departure of through trains, the running of such to and from its old station, foot of Lake street, being abandoned—14-d&wtf.

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY, JULY 26TH, the Illinois Central railroad will place in service a through chair car on the Chicago train leaving Decatur at 10 45 p. m., arriving at Chicago at 7 ... The sleeping car now running between Decatur and Chicago will be withdrawn for the present. For tickets and other information call on T. Peniwell in Library Block, or at ticket office, Union depot. W. L. SMITH, Agt.

THE most favorable opportunity to visit the World's Fair is now, while the Illinois Central R R has in effect the present extremely low rate of $6.45 for the round trip from Decatur station to Chicago and return. Tickets good on all regular trains, and entitle the holder to all the privileges of a first-class ticket. Remember that the Central Route is the only railroad from the south whose trains enter Chicago without transfer or detour in full view of the Exposition buildings and make regular stops at the World's Fair gates (World's Fair Station—Midway Plaisance) For further particulars, tickets, etc., call on or address your local or nearest I. C. R R ticket agent A. H. HANSON, G. P. A., Chicago. aug7-d3m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. reduced rates to Chicago and the World's Fair. Tickets on sale on and after April 25th, from Decatur Station to Chicago and return at $7.15 for the round trip, sale to continue daily until October 31st, 1893, inclusive, tickets good to return until Nov. 15, 1893. Remember that the Central Route is the only railroad from the south whose trains enter Chicago without transfer or detour in full view of the Exposition buildings and make regular stops at the World's Fair Gates. (World's Fair Station—Midway Plaisance.) For further particulars, tickets, etc., call on or address your local or nearest I. C. R. R. ticket agent A. H. HANSON, G. P. A. Chicago. apr21-d6mo

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THE VANDALIA LINE has opened a city ticket office at 110 Library Block with the I. C. and P., D. & E. railroads. A full line of local and coupon tickets to Peoria, and makes close connection for all points north and northwest, only one night out to Denver, Pueblo and Colorado Springs, and via Terre Haute and Indianapolis for all points east, north and south, only one night out for New York City. Harvest excursions August 22, September 12 and October 10. Be sure and call for further information, maps and tickets before starting on a journey. T PENIWELL, City Tkt Agt

To Whom It May Concern.

You will take notice that the undersigned intends making application to the regular meeting of the City Council of the city of Decatur, Illinois, on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1893, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house or building designated and known as the Amphitheater building situated upon the property of the Decatur Trotting Association and described as follows, to-wit The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section number two (2) in township number sixteen (16) north, range two east of the third principal meridian, and situated in Macon county, Illinois, which said house or building is owned by said Decatur Trotting Association.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1893. G. A. KELLER.
aug7-d6t

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Benedict M. McGorray and against Emanuel B. Deardorff, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot eleven (11), block seven (7) East Park Boulevard addition to the city of Decatur. Taken as property of the said Emanuel B. Deardorff which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Macon county, in said state, on the 26th day of August A. D. 1893, at 2 p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 4th day of August, A. D. 1893.

PETER PERL,
aug4-d3w Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

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WABASH.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 6:45 p m	No. 9 Pass.... 6:30 a m
No. 4 Pass....11:45 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 4:15 pm
No. 44 Pass...11:15 a m	No. 43 Pass... [illegible]
No. 42 Pass...10:10 p m	No. 45 Pass.... 4:05 p m
No. 2 Pass...12:15 a m	No. 5 Pass... 3:46 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass....10:05 p m	No. 43 Pass... 4:20 a m
No. 44 Pass....11:05 a m	No. 46 Pass . 4:00 p m
No. 6 Pass... 6:18 a m	No. 1 Pass. . 9:07 p m
No. 48 Acc.... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:45 a m
No. 70, Freight 11:05 a m	No 71, Freight 11:[illegible]
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 43 Pass... 2:40 a m	No. 48 Pass . 6:[illegible] a m
No. 45 Pass... 8:55 p m	No. 44 Pass...11:25 a m
No. 41 Pass... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass ..10:35 p m
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FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 2 Pass.....4:05 a m	No. 3 Pass... 12:25 a m
No. 5 Pass.....3:46 p m	No. 4 Pass .. 11:50 a m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday. 6:30 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6:25 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 126 pass. ex. Sunday......... 7:00 a. m	No. 1[illegible] pass. ex. Sunday... 5:40 p. m
No. 124 pass. daily..........10:46 p. m	No. 11[illegible] pass. to Pana daily 4:45 a. m
No. 102 pass. ex. Sunday.........9:00 p. m	No. 12[illegible] pass ex. Sunday... 10:35 a. m
No. 162 pass ex. Sunday....... 2:00 p. m	No. 1[illegible] freight, ex. Sunday... 9:30 a. m
No 194 freight, ex. Sunday........3:20 p. m	No. [illegible]01 (Champaign Line) ... [illegible] a. m
No. 702 (Champaign Line) leaves, ex. Sunday..........3:15 p. m	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass... 1:25 p m	No. [illegible]...11:05 a m
No. 3 Pass... 1:25 a m	No. [illegible]...10:30 p m
No. 7 Freight. 9:00 a m	No. [illegible] 6:30 a m
No. 9 Freight. 6:00 p m	No. [illegible] 4:30 p m

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No. 4 Pass... 7:05 a m	
No. 20 Pass, Sunday only	[illegible]
No. 14 Freight	
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J. Edward Saxton

POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, ss. In the Circuit Court.

Erie M. Shaffer et al. Ex Parte—No 11404—Bill for Partition.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered at the June term A. D. 1893, in the above entitled cause, I James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Saturday July 29, 1893 at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. offer for sale to the highest and best bidder at a public vendue the property in said decree ordered to be sold being described as follows to-wit: 36 feet off of the east side of lot 11, and four feet off of the west side of lot 12, all in block 1, of Yates & King's addition to the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

TERMS OF SALE. One half cash in hand on day of sale, balance in one year. Deferred payments to bear 6 per cent interest per annum, and to be secured by note and mortgage of the property sold, and also by approved personal security.

Dated this 1st day of July A. D., 1893.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

MILLS BROS., Solicitors. j1-d4w

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order and decree of the county court of Macon County, Illinois, on petition of the undersigned administrator of the estate of Frances Bashford rendered at the July term, A. D. 1893, of said court, to-wit, on the 14th day of July, 1893, I shall on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1893 between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, commencing at ... o'clock a. m., sell at public auction at the ... court house in Decatur, Illinois ... real estate, situated in the ... of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: ... feet off of the north side of lot three ... one (1) in E. O. Gibb's addition to ... county, Illinois, as described in ... William Bashford to Frances ... recorded in book 100, page 635 ... with greater certainty as forty ... north off of the north side of said ... Gibbs' addition ... same aforesaid. ... cash, and the balance ... be due and payable ... deferred payment to be ... security and mortgage ... the privilege to the purchaser ... which, deferred payment ... of cost, per annum. ... PARK, Administrator.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, commencing at and connecting with the south side of Jasper Street Sewer on the east side of South Calhoun street, at a point where the twenty-four inch tile are now inserted in said sewer, which said sewer shall be constructed from its said beginning point, south, following the general trend of the branch on the east side of said Calhoun street, and across to the south line of East William street, together with all Y-junctions, entrances, manholes, catch-basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, including the refilling of the necessary excavations therefor, all to be done strictly in compliance with the plans, profile and specifications relating thereto, prepared by the city engineer, and now on file in the City Clerk's office, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder and that sealed bids will be received from the date hereof, until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 14th day of August, A. D. 1893, for the construction of the same, including all labor, materials and other matters necessary to construct the same, including the refilling of said excavation.

A bond or certified check, in the amount of one hundred dollars, must accompany each bid.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 2d day of August, A. D. 1893.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY. ss.

Estate of Peter Conover, Deceased.

To Levi Conover, Eliza Conover, R. A. Matthews, Oliver Finch, Leona Camron, Charles Camron and T. J. Scroggin, their guardian, heirs and distributees, and J. F. Willard, administrator de bonis non of said estate:

You are hereby notified that on Wednesday, the 23d day of August, 1893, the executrix of the estate of Albert Conover, who was the administrator of said estate, will present to the county court of Macon county, at Decatur, Illinois, a final report of her acts and doings, and the acts and doings of said Albert Conover as such administrator, and ask the court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate, and the administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do.

(Signed) ADELE M. CONOVER,
Executrix of the Estate of Albert Conover.

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Joseph D. Keagle, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Keagle, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1893.

J. R. DAMPMAN, Administrator.

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Mrs. H. S. Riley, wife of ex-Burgess Hubert J. Riley, of South Chester, Pa., appointed a notary public by Governor Pattison is the first woman to hold that office in Delaware county. Her application was indorsed by five prominent lawyers of the county, and her appointment was made two days after it was filed.

WHY?

Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it "Royal." A glass held up to the light will show why we call it Ruby. $500 reward for any bottle of this wine found under five years old or in any way adulterated. It is grand in sickness and convalescence, or where a strengthening cordial is required; recommended by druggists and physicians. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby;" don't let dealers impose on you with something "just as good," but go to Dr. A. J. Stoner and get the genuine. Sold only in bottles; price: quarts $1, pints 60 cts. Bottled by Royal Wine Co., Chicago.

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When you want a Buggy, Surrey or Phaeton come and look through our stock. We have some of the best buggies made and our prices are the lowest.

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TEETH, $7—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

WABASH HARVEST EXCURSIONS.

THE Wabash R. R. will on August 22d, Sept 12th and Oct. 10th sell harvest excursion tickets to principal points in the west, northwest, south and southwest at one fare plus $2 for the round trip. For rates, routes, maps, or any information desired, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. and T. A., Wabash R. R., Decatur, Illinois.

On account of the G. A. R. reunion, the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Indianapolis and return at very low rates. Tickets will be sold Sept. 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th, good returning till Sept. 15th. For particulars, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. and T. A., Wabash R. R., Decatur, Ill.

On account of the Brethren Church National Conference, the Wabash R. R. will sell round-trip excursion tickets to Eagle Lake, Warsaw, Ind., at one fare. Tickets will be sold August 7th to 24th inclusive, good returning till Sept. 30d.

On account of the Evangelical Association, Sunday School Convention, and the German Campmeeting, the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Linwood Park, Vermilion, Ohio, at one and one-third fare. Tickets will be sold August 7th to 23d inclusive, good returning till August 30th.

The Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Monticello and return at ... account of Monticello Fair. Tickets will be sold August ... to 30th inclusive, good returning till August 26th.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

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SPECIAL SALE OF

CALIFORNIA CANNED FRUITS

will commence AUGUST 8th.

Prices lower than ever named on good goods.

Buy all you need for the winter and save money.

144 EAST MAIN ST.

THURSDAY EVE., AUG. 10, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

BEEF malt with celery at Dawson's Pharmacy.

IRWIN'S royal dyspepsia cure is the best remedy for indigestion.

STICKY and Poison Fly paper at Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

THE fair at Homer is in progress. It draws large crowds of people every day.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

THOSE fancy vests and negligee shirts on sale at Cheap Charley's store are beauties. Buy there.

THE funeral of the late Mrs. H. M. Gossett was one of the largest lately witnessed in Decatur.

THERE are no better pianos on earth than the Haines Uprights, on sale only at the C. B. Prescott music house.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

SELECT California canned fruits at Philip Kemper's popular fair-dealing store, 757 North Water street.

WE will sell you furniture cheaper than ever before. We need your money. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. july29-2w

THE Linn & Scruggs firm will soon have full possession of the second floor of the building in which they do business.

THE place to find fresh country butter and fine groceries every day is at Towne & Murphey's store, 143 South Water street.

CHARLES PEAKE while at the river yesterday had the misfortune to fracture one of the bones of his ankle by stepping on a stone.

WE could not improve the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best Salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy.

JUSTICE SHORB will have a lively civil trial in his court to-morrow. It is a case involving $95 and costs. The attorneys will be C. C. Leforgee and Wilson Woodford.

Use Shellabarger's
WHITE LOAF FLOUR.
It is the best.

DID we ever advertise bargains that we did not give them? BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. july29-2w

THE Pension Examining Board had a large number of applicants up for examination yesterday. Drs. Spalding, Walbridge and McConnell were kept busy all day.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

THE incandescent light department is in full operation at the plant of the Municipal Electric Lighting company, on North Edward street. The dynamo is the largest ever brought to Decatur.

The Pride of Decatur,
WHITE LOAF FLOUR,
The Blue Ribbon brand.

THE Decatur Guards were out in force again last evening for another practice skirmish in the Casseli pasture. They were not afraid of colliding with the trees. They were kept busy keeping out of the cow tracks.

ALL the talk in the world will no convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, burns, bruises, skin affection and piles.

BLUE GRASS Carriage Shop, one block east of Shellabarger's mill, Cerro Gordo street, has a fine line of Surreys, Buggies, Road and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repainting, overhauling, &c. Come and see this line of new work and get rock bottom prices. april7-d&wtf

IF you can afford to be annoyed by sick headache and constipation, don't use DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these little pills will cure them. W. F. Neisler.

MARSHAL LEHMAN will have all members of the police force before him at headquarters this morning for assignment of beats. It is not known where Officer Joe Hewes will be placed, but he will probably be given one of the best routes, a day job in the business part of the city.

As a hair dressing and for the prevention of baldness, Ayer's Hair Vigor has no equal in merit and efficiency. It eradicates dandruff, keeps the scalp moist, clean and healthy, and gives vitality and color to weak, faded and gray hair. The most popular of toilet articles.

IN future the owners of drays and express wagons will not have their rigs drawn up on the west side of Central Park to block a portion of Water street and disfigure that part of the busy portion of the city. Hereafter the vehicles will have standing room on the north side of the park, and at such other points in the city where they will not be in the way of passing rigs and street cars. The order making the change is a good one, and will be applauded by the public generally.

For the World's Fair, Free.

The Libby Glass Co., whose agents we are for this section of country, have kindly sent us a lot of maps of the World's Fair grounds and Midway Plaisance. These maps show just the location of every building and attraction on the grounds, and are a great help to visitors. They are not large and can be carried in the pocket nicely. You can see twice as much in a day if you know where to find it without walking half a mile out of your way. Call and get one free. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

One word describes it—"perfection." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures obstinate sores, burns, skin diseases and is a well known cure for piles. W. F. Neisler.

IN GREENWOOD.

Burial of Floyd A. Gastman and Mrs. Henry Gossett.

AT REST.

A large number of sympathizing friends gathered last evening at 5 o'clock at the darkened home of Supt. and Mrs. E. A. Gastman, 464 West North street, to attend the funeral of their second and only son, Floyd A. Gastman, whose death on Tuesday morning, August 8th, was not unexpected. The services were conducted by Rev. T. A. Parker of the First M. E. church and Rev. W. H. Penhallegon of the First Presbyterian church. The music was by C. W. Montgomery, W. A. Lindamood and the Misses Ada and Nettie Pritchett. At the grave flowers were placed upon the casket by the graduates of the High School class of 1892, of which deceased was a member. The pallbearers were Linn Blackstone, Harley Armstrong, Ben Freeman, Lewis Coonradt, Will Armstrong and Arthur Dumont. Among the friends at the house and at the grave were many young men who were schoolmates and associates of the deceased.

The sincere sympathy of all our people goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Gastman into whose home has lately come a double affliction. Less than three years ago they had two strong sons whose future for useful and happy lives promised all that fond and indulgent parents could wish. Winthrop E., the elder son, was sent through Michigan University and had graduated in the electrical engineering department. He had applied himself to his profitable occupation in New York, Fort Wayne, and Chicago, and in the last named city his health became impaired. He sought relief by change of climate in Arizona and Colorado, but the change did him but little good, and he passed away at Pueblo, July 24th, in the 25th year of his age. Mr. Gastman was with his son when he died, and brought the body home to be placed in Greenwood. Fifteen days later, the second son, Floyd, who was in the 19th year of his age, and had been ill for a period of six months, paid the debt of nature, and is now asleep in the cemetery at the side of his brother. He, too, was a student at Michigan University. The loss of the two sons in the morning of their young manhood, with an interval of only fifteen days, comes with crushing weight upon the parents, who have need of all the christian fortitude possessed by mortals to bear up under the blow. No words can express the measure of their sorrow. Death came into their home and has taken their two boys for whose good and advancement in life they had labored and planned for many years. Now the boys are gone, and there is naught left them except the consciousness of the fact that they had carefully reared them and had done for them all they could that they might be prepared to go forth in life to battle for themselves.

FUNERAL OF MRS. GOSSETT.

The last sad rites over the remains of the late Mrs. Henry M. Gossett were observed yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home, No 461 South Water street. Dunham Post Woman's Relief Corps had charge of the funeral services. They met at the G. A. R. hall and went to the house in a body. Dunham Post, G. A. R., also attended. The sermon by Rev. T. A. Parker, of the First M. E. church, was appropriate and sympathetic. Many beautiful floral offerings were given by friends of the deceased. A long line of carriages followed the remains to the last resting place in Greenwood cemetery. The pallbearers were C. J. Hartley, Wm. Devore, Andrew Dempsey, Alex McWhirter, Mr. Campbell and Enos Kepler. At the grave the feelings of the relatives was so intense while the remains were being lowered into the narrow house of clay that Mrs. Dupee, a sister of the deceased, and Mrs. R. E. Roland, a niece, fainted. They were supported to carriages and taken home.

Matrimonial.

The marriage of Miss Jennie Bradshaw, who has been a modiste in Decatur for over two years, and Mr. Samuel Robinson, was solemnized last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride, 319 North Franklin street, in the presence of a number of friends, who offered warm congratulations. Rev. W. H. Penhallegon, of the Presbyterian church, was the officiating clergyman. Mr. Robinson, is a carpenter by occupation, has been a resident of Decatur eight years, and during the past few years has been in the employ of Baum & Williamson. Mr. Robinson and bride departed at 10.15 for Danville. They will also visit Bloomington and then go to the World's Fair. On their return they will make their home at 319 North Franklin street.

Sixth Annual Fair.

The sixth annual exposition of the Macon Agricultural association will be held at the fair grounds east of Macon on September 5, 6, 7 and 8, competition open to the world. The premiums offered aggregate 100 per cent increase over last year. There will be trotting, pacing and running contests during the meeting, and a fine exhibit in every department. The officers of the fair are: R. H. Woodcock, president; J. A. Montgomery, vice president; W. H. Willoughby, secretary; J. L. Hight, treasurer; R. Patterson, superintendent of grounds; A. A. Anderson, superintendent of police; W. Pattersen, marshal of the ring; Wm. Johnston, superintendent of stalls; directors—L. A. Armstrong, S. G. Washburn, J. A. Montgomery, D. P. Keller, R. H. Woodcook, Elijah Walker.

Garver Family Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Garver Family will be held on Thursday, August 31st, at Riverside Park. As usual it will attract to the Park a large number of people. A basket dinner, games, and short addresses will be among the features of the gathering. O. H. Garver, of Whitmore township, is president of the association; F. M. Garver, of Decatur, first vice-president; and J. J. Garver, of Cerro Gordo, secretary and treasurer.

No Trouble Nowadays.

The conductors of freight trains say that they have no trouble in getting passengers these days. The tramp is unusually plentiful and every freight train is carrying its share. The freights are doing almost as good a passenger business as the regular passenger trains, although there is not quite so much money in it.

Are You Wanting for a Brush?

Scrub brushes, 5, 10, 15 and 20 cents; blacking brushes, 15c that sell everywhere for 25c, at E. D. Bartholomew's.

BIG DAY AT CERRO GORDO.

Gathering of the Peck-Ater Tribes at a Reunion.

F. M. Garver and other Decatur people are at Cerro Gordo to-day attending the annual reunion of the Peck-Ater families. It is a gala day for the town. The exercises were held in the park, and this program was observed:

Music—Band.
Invocation—Rev. A. C. Armentrout.
Singing—Choir.
Address—Elmer Towl.
Rev. A. B. Peck.
Singing—Choir.
Music—Band.
Register.
Dinner.
Music—Band.
Recitation—Lillie Peck.
Singing—Choir.
Addresses—Rev. A. C. Armentrout, Rev. J. R. Reasoner and others.
Music—Band.

During the day a meeting of the executive committee of the Garver Family reunion association was held. The Garvers will have their reunion at Riverside Park, Decatur, on Thursday, August 31.

Help Make It a Hummer.

The Illinois Board of World's Fair Commissioners have secured Thursday, August 24th, as Illinois Day, and it is hoped that every citizen of Illinois who possibly can do so will attend on that day. The World's Fair is one of the greatest attractions ever presented in this or any other age and every person should see it. Reduced rates have been secured upon the railroads, and an attractive program has been arranged for the day. There will be various attractive parades up to noon, showing 5000 militia in line, and the people of all nations. State reception at 2 p. m.; fire works and electric display at 8 p. m. It is hoped that at least half a million Illinoisans will be present on that day. Harvest is over and seeding will not then be begun, and it is just the season of the year when all citizens can attend. Railway rates will be good for ten days or more so the people can attend the whole of that week. Let every one use his best efforts to make Illinois Day one long to be remembered, and the greatest of all days at the fair.

Leavitt on the Message.

Hon. Thomas N. Leavitt, of Maroa was in the city on business to-day. He says President Cleveland's message on the state of affairs in the country does not satisfy him by a long shot. Mr. Leavitt states that what Cleveland ought to have recommended and what congress ought to do at once, is to pass a joint resolution that the tariff will not be disturbed for at least four years. The possible tariff legislation, he says, is what is causing the lack of confidence in this country. He has personal knowledge of the fact that dealers will not buy wool from the farmers, except on a free-trade basis, at 12 and 14 cents a pound. One buyer got over 3000 pounds at that price. Manufacturers will not take the wool except on a free-trade basis, all because the Democrats at Chicago in their platform said they were going to "reform" the business interests of the country.

A Still Alarm.

This forenoon the presence of smoke was discovered in the basement at the Harry Fisk furniture store, but no fire could be found. Considerable interest was taken in the uncertainty of the presence of a smouldering fire somewhere in the basement, not only by Mr. Fisk, but also by the members and attaches of Linn & Scruggs store. Finally it was concluded to send in a still alarm for the No. 1 Chemical crew, and the firemen soon discovered the cause of the scare. The smoke came from a stove on which was a glue pot. One of the men had put some rubbish in the stove to be consumed. The chimney refused to carry off the smoke and it partly filled the basement to arouse a fire scare. The discovery of the cause of the smoke satisfied everybody and all alarm was allayed.

A Hay Ride to Macon.

Last night a party of young folks enjoyed a hay ride, going to Macon, where refreshments were served, returning to Decatur at midnight. The party included Misses Pearl Covington, Pearl Kaylor, Ida White, Lucy Crawford, Hattie Farner, Eleanor McKee, Jessie Pease, May Condell and Miss Donald, and Messrs. Nile Russell, Charles Chamberlain, Emory Ward, Elmer Birks, Lon Montgomery, John Hoyland, Embry Birks, Raymond Hatfield and Guy Conklin. Miss Woodruff, of Chicago, chaperoned the party.

Columbian Diplomas.

In the special examination at the World's Fair in the Business College exhibit, Liberal Arts building, the following named Decatur students received a Columbian diploma: Bessie Anderson, O. B. Halpin, Mayne Patrick and Josie Brummett.

Born.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Travis, of North Witt street, on Wednesday, Aug. 9, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Auborn, of North Chisholm street, on Wednesday, Aug. 9, a daughter.

Take Warning.

If you must smoke try one of Huffman's "Cabarets" or "Little Rip" cigars, Hand-made, Long Havana filler. Sold everywhere. June 24-dtf

Closing Out.

During this week we will close out our Refrigerators at less than cost. Call and examine them. C. L. GRISWOLD & CO.

THE eldest daughter of the Rev. Dr Benjamin Szold, Miss Henrietta Szold, of Baltimore, has been chosen acting secretary of the American Jewish Publication Society, and will soon take up her residence in Philadelphia. She is a writer much admired by the Israelites of this country.

IGNORANCE of the merits of DeWitt's Little Early Risers is a misfortune. These little pills regulate the liver, cure headache, dyspepsia, bad breath, constipation and biliousness. W. F. Neisler.

EMPTY TREASURY.

City Council of Lincoln Takes Action to Protect Municipal Credit.

For some months past the city of Lincoln has been without funds, and warrants on the treasury have been bandied around way below face value. Tuesday night the city council passed a resolution that hereafter all warrants unpaid, while the treasury is empty, shall bear 7 per cent. interest. When the ex-City Clerk, John H. Starkey, went out of office, he left a shortage of $25,000, mostly in saloon licenses, covering a period of six years. The council has ordered suit brought against Judge H. S. Foley and F. C. Orten, Vice-President of Lincoln National Bank, bondsmen of Starkey, and against the bondsmen of the saloonkeepers to recover the money.

THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

OREANA.

Congress is in session. What now?

Mr. Joe Painter wears a prominent smile and swears it's a boy, hard times or no hard times.

Mr. Fin Drake has put on a patent feeder and band cutter on his thresher. Pretty good for a fawl.

Vast improvements are being made in the appearance of our roads north of town.

Wonder if Adlai (during these halcyon days of Democracy) still carries in his vest pocket the left hind foot of a last year's graveyard rabbit. If congress will go into innocuous desuetude, Cleveland into nonentity and nothingness from whence he came, my special ambassador will haul down the flag again, and Adlai stop his learned discussions upon the silver question, the country may possibly stand the storms and anchor safely in a Republican port years hence.

Bro. Sage made a very able talk on the "Crisis" last Lord's day. His reference to and arraignment of whisky and gambling was cutting and to the point, but when he laid the present trouble at the door of the saloon or the gambling den, he assigned a cause inadequate to the effect. These evils existed under Republican rule and did not cause such trouble, and cannot now, because such evils constantly tend to keep money in circulation, whereas the present crisis is caused by the hoarding of money, and thus preventing its circulation. Restore confidence and all will be well.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Parr Sundayed at Mr Sam Hilbrant's

August 8.

ARGENTA NEWS.

J. W. Patterson has rented his house to John Brown, who comes here with the Kuhns-Reddick stock of goods.

Rev. Giffin has rented his east side property to Mr. Reddick of the firm of Kuhns & Reddick.

Miss Rose Harris became involved in a gasoline explosion which came near resulting seriously. No cause for the explosion could be found.

Miss Carrie Nein of Decatur, who was visiting Miss Vina Ray, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Lindsley and two little girls are visiting her mother at Lovington.

Orville Brown had a runaway on Sunday night which resulted in a walk of about two miles home.

Mrs. E. M. Brown and W. H. Wikoff have had views of their houses taken by a photographer from Clinton.

Monroe Leech has moved into the Dick Nelson house in the north part of town.

John Leech has rented the William Dunbar property.

Our grain merchants have handled about 55,000 bushels of oats within the last ten days.

Jesse Fesler is building 10-barrel cistern for W. H. Hartman.

Bart Troxel having vacated Miss Mary Lee's house now occupies Gen. J. C. Black's house.

J. S. Mason is with F. F. Mullen in the blacksmith shop.

J. W. Patterson of Griggsville paid this place a short visit on last Saturday.

Returned World's Fair Visitors—C. J. Fesler, Irene Carr and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Keller.

Miss Laura Deibl is visiting in Scott county.

Reduced Tuition Rates.

Brown's Business College has decided to continue the reduced rates of tuition that were offered during June and July until the opening of the fall term, Sept. 5th. A large number have already enrolled at these reduced rates and expect to begin their work at the opening of the term. Many had not heard of the special rates or had not understood them, and in order to give such persons the benefit of our offer, the former rates will be continued until Sept. 5th. Interested parties should write for information or call at the college office.

4-d&w1w E. P. IRVING, Principal.

The Blackberry Crop

Blackberries are nearly out of the local market a few more days will witness their entire disappearance, except that some Michigan berries may be shipped in during the week. In comparison with other seasons it may be said that the crop has been exceedingly light and but few were canned. During the early summer months the vines blossomed well and gave every indication of yielding well, but the continued dry weather caused a shortage greatly regretted by fruit growers.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

O. E. S.

Regular meeting of Decatur Chapter No. 111, O. E. S., at Masonic Temple, this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting members invited.

MRS. S. A. ORCHARD, W. M.
MRS. S. J. STEELE, Sec.

R. N. OF A.

Bay Leaf Camp No. 29, Royal Neighbors of America, will meet in G. A. R. Hall to-night at 8 o'clock.

MRS. D. E. KINGSLEY, Grand Oracle.
MISS ETTA ANDREWS, Recorder.

Wanted

Men with some capital, who are wide awake and know a good thing when they see it, to try one of Huffman's Cabaret or Little Rip cigars. They please the most fastidious epicures. Sold by all dealers. Manufactured at Huffman's North End Cigar Store, 1065 N. Water street. june12-dtf

A ROMAN tomb has been unearthed at Cologne, containing the bones of a man, a silver sword handle with an inscription and an inkstand of bronze. The sword grasp is inlaid with gold and enamel and the inkstand is rich in decoration. A coin of Gordian III. gives some clue to the period of the interment.

LITTLE vegetable health producers: DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure malarious disorders and regulate the stomach and bowels, which prevents headache and dizziness. W. F. Neisler.

ARLO BATES has retired from the editorialship of the Boston Courier to become Professor of Literature in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures burns
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Tan, Heliotrope,
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Remnant Day,

—AT—

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FRIDAY is our regular REMNANT DAY, and we are going to close out all we can of our Remnants to-morrow Regardless of Value. Remnants of Silks, Dress Goods, Ginghams, Calicoes, Pongees, Table Linens, Crashes, Muslins, Embroideries, Etc.

New Dress Goods.

Have just opened New Hop Sacking Dress Goods, in Navy, Green, Havana Brown and Black, at 75c yd—real value, $1.00.

China Silks at 38c.

We will put on sale all that is left of our 75c and 90c quality of China Silk at 38c yd to close them.

Black Silks.

Black Dress Silks, $2.00 quality, at $1.39 yd.

Black Dress Silks, $1.50 quality, at $1.15 yd.

Black Organdie Lawns.

35c quality cut to 19c.
25c quality cut to 15c.

Crepons at 8½c.

All shades of Crepon cloth, value 15c, on sale to close at 8½c.

Muslin at 5c.

Yard-wide Muslin at 5c, value 7c.
25c quality wide Sheeting at 19c.
Bleached Muslin at 6½c, 7½c, 8½c, 9½c yd.

Cassimeres.

We show a good stock of Cassimeres suitable for men and boys' wear. Prices 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c, 98c, $1.25 per yd.

Lace Curtains.

We have on sale an elegant line of new curtains. Prices 98c, $1.25, $1.48, $1.98, $2.48, $3.00, $3.50 to $5.00 pair. Special low prices this week.

SHOES.

Ladies' tan oxfords at 98c, value $1.50.
Ladies' black oxfords 98c, value $1.50.
Ladies' $2.00 patent tipped shoes at $1.48.
Ladies' $3.00 patent tip shoes at $1.98.
Ladies' $4.00 patent tipped shoes at $2.98.

Men's Shoe.

Men's $2.50 quality congress or lace shoes at $1.98.
Men's $3.00 quality congress or lace shoes at $2.75.
We can save you from 25c to $1.00 on every pair shoes.

Carpets.

We are selling a great many carpets. The prices do the work. New patterns just in.
Best all wool two plys at 65 and 69c.
Union Ingrains at 33, 44, 48c yd.
Hemp carpets at 19, 20, 25c yd.

Chenille Portierres,

We have two special values on sale. $3.95 will buy a regular $5.00 value.
$4.95 will buy a regular $7.50 quality.

Men's White Shirts.

Special values this week at 50c, a regular $1.00 quality shirt.
At 39c a regular 75c quality shirt.

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151 North Water Street.

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FORMER PRICE, 50c,

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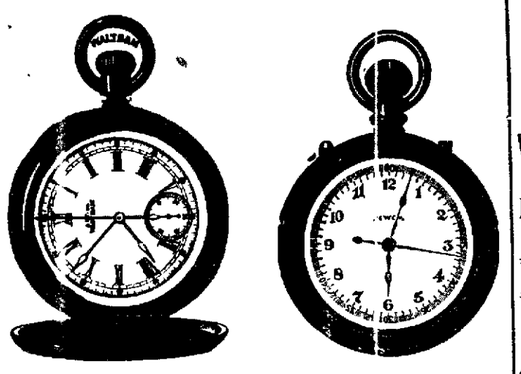

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B. F. BOBO, Manager,

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Make Your Money Go Far.

Wire broilers, 9, 10 and 12 cents; wooden chopping bowls, 10, 20 and 25 cents; whisk brooms, 10, 15 and 20 cents; toy brooms, 10 cents; regular brooms, 10, 15, 25, 30, 35 and 40 cents, at

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW'S.

DEES & SON, tailors.

DELICIOUS Ice Cream Soda at Dawson's.

A NEW line of fine tablets at Dawson's book store.

CHOCOLATE worm candy at Irwin's drug store.

IRWIN'S kidney and liver remedy cures every time.

HAMMOCKS at Dawson's book store, successor to Robinson.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

IT was 91 in the shade this afternoon, with a glimmering prospect of rain.

BUY furniture now and save money. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. july29-2w

In demand every day—the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars made by Joseph Miehl.

ALL kinds of choice lake and river fish. Pearl Oyster and Fish Co., No. 243 North Main street.

A LARGE number of Decatur people are attending the Peck-Ater reunion today at Cerro Gordo.

WE guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

Boom Decatur by using White Loaf Flour.

YOU can save from three to five dollars on a Refrigerator this week, at

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Do you want to buy furniture at factory prices? Then come and see us. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. july29-2w

WHITE LOAF FLOUR The Best.

THE I., D. & W., on Sunday, August 12, will sell round trip tickets to Bloomingdale Glens, Ind., for $1.50. The train will leave Union depot at 7 o'clock, and returning reach Decatur at 5:30 o'clock.

THE remains of William Crose, the bricklayer, who was killed in the recent railway wreck at Danville will be brought to Decatur for burial. Andrew Wallace, a tailor and old soldier from Peoria, was another victim of the accident.

WHETHER Pasteur and Koch's peculiar modes of treatment will ultimately prevail or not, their theory of blood-contamination is the correct one, though not original. It was on this theory that Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Lowell, Mass., nearly fifty years ago, formulated Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

AT Lincoln yesterday the building known as the old Girard carriage shop, in which were located the awning factory, Fred Dorman's blacksmith shop, Girard & Harrison's paint shop, the Wodetzki & Rankin drill factory and other shops burned. The loss is $5,000; no insurance.

A FINE sample of Democratic "good corn" was brought to Decatur this forenoon by A. S. Robinson. It is a sickly stalk, not 18 inches tall, which has been struggling against adversity ever since a Democratic farmer put the seed in the ground to sprout and develop.

A HEARING has been granted the World's Columbian Exposition company in proceedings to dismiss Judge Stein's injunction requiring the officers to keep the fair open on Sundays. The matter will be heard next Friday before Judge Goggin and several other judges from the supreme court sitting with him.

ABOUT two weeks ago Thomas Flynn and a companion boarded a Monroe street car at Springfield while, it is claimed, both were intoxicated. They had some trouble with the conductor, and finally the latter ejected Flynn from the car, breaking his leg. Yesterday Flynn brought suit against the street car company for $8,000 damages.

A Dream Realized.

Three painters, James Dwyer, Ben Simon and James Fisher, were painting a building at No. 51 and 53 South street, New York. Yesterday morning as the three men were about to mount the swinging scaffold Dwyer examined one of the ropes and remarked it was not safe. The other men laughed when he said, "the fact is I had a dream last night. I dreamed that we three were on this scaffold and it suddenly broke." This only amused them, but they had been on the swing but a few moments when the support broke and all three were injured, it is thought, fatally.

Died of Disappointment.

Marcus R. Deyo, 74 years old, of Montello, Wis., en route to visit friends in Streator, dropped dead at the Santa Fe depot at Joliet yesterday. His pension had been stopped and he came to Chicago to be re-examined. The worry and failure killed him.

SERIOUSLY BURNED.

Fire at John Irwin's Home—Miss Jessie Whitesides Injured.

This forenoon the fire department was called out again by a fire caused by carelessness in the management of a gasoline stove. It was in W. E. Hubbard's property at 737 North Main street, occupied by John Irwin, the Wabash conductor. The stove is a three-burner, and it was on the back porch near the kitchen. The domestic in charge was Miss Jessie Whitesides, a young girl of seventeen, who was engaged in doing the family washing. The washboiler was on two burners of the stove; the other burner was not lighted. Miss Whitesides had been in the habit of putting coal oil on clothes of the Irwin twin boys to clean them rapidly. It is thought she used gasoline this morning, for all of the fire on the weatherboarding of the house was above the level of the boiler—none below. The burners were all right. There was a sudden flare-up in the boiler, and while Miss Whitesides was trying to blow out the fire, she was severely burned on the hands, arms and face. The eyebrows were singed and part of her hair was burnt off. She ran through the kitchen and out into the yard screaming for help, and Mrs. Irwin, who saw the flames on the porch, and realizing that her twin boys in another room were in danger, called for help, while she ran back to rescue her sons from possible danger. Miss Whitesides' clothing fortunately did not take fire, and as quickly as possible Dr. Catto was called to give her necessary attention. Later she was taken to her home on East Condit street. Dr. Catto thinks the young lady will recover.

The firemen were at the scene in short order and soon had the fire out, with not more than five dollars damage to the property. Conductor Irwin will not not learn anything of the fire at his home until after he arrives from St Louis this evening.

Visitors from Danville.

Yesterday six members of the Danville city council were in the city to look into the management of Decatur affairs, with special reference to electric lighting, the water works system and the street paving improvement. After a visit at the water works in the afternoon and a thorough inspection of the improvements there, the visitors were met at the council room last night by Manager W. L. Ferguson and W. L. Shellabarger of the street car company and taken to Riverside Park. They were accompanied on both trips by Mayor Moffitt and Aldermen Shade, Ferguson, Dodd, White and Stewart. The visitors were Aldermen H. C. Patterson, John Timms, Amos Cowan, City Clerk Reece Lloyd, and W. P. Cannon, president of the Electric Light and Street Car company. Mr. Cannon is a brother of Congressman Joe Cannon, and is a banker. The party had a flying trip on the cars. They left for Danville last night, more than pleased with their stay in Decatur.

Salt Water Day.

Justice P. B. Provost, who spent his early days along the eastern coast of New Jersey, stated this morning that the next Saturday in August was one of the greatest holidays along that section of the country. It is known as salt water day and on that date all the people for miles around lock up their houses and adjourn to the seashore, where they remain a week bathing in the salt water and picnicing on the beach. He says some of the old people would cook for a week at a time in preparation for the event. Years ago the residents would gather on the coast to make salt, but this custom has long since been discontinued but the habit of going to the coast on that day still survives. On the following Saturday the colored people assemble.

Wiped Out.

Yesterday afternoon fire destroyed the greater portion of the business part of Sidell, in Vermillion county. Some boys were smoking in a livery stable and set the barn on fire. The flames spread rapidly and could not be controlled. The loss is estimated at $100,000, insurance $25,000. Among the buildings burned were the Sidell opera house, Lyons, Alexander & Co.'s bank, the Chicago & Eastern Illinois depot, W. B. Canble's drug store, Freeman & Gray's hardware store, Meyers & Hughes' agricultural implement store, a restaurant and billiard hall, the grocery stores of S. Gillough and M. Keller, and several blacksmith and wagon shops. The money in Lyons' bank was saved, the vaults being fire proof.

Honey in a Church.

For a long time the congregation of the Zion church, near Five Points, six miles north of Oakland, have been bothered with honey bees. The bees became such a pest that it was determined to get rid of them. Yesterday a dozen or more farmers assembled at the church and tore off the siding on one side, discovering an immense deposit of honey. Over seven tubs full of sweetness were taken out and the bees successfully hived.

Gamblers Receive Orders.

Officer Hewes has been engaged today ordering the gamblers to close, pack up their little games and quit business. He has served notice on all establishments where roulette, faro, craps and the wheel of fortune, or any of them have been running, and it is thought the order will extend to what are called "square games." The mayor has thus inaugurated the long-expected war on the gamblers of the city.

Coming from Chicago and St. Louis.

The Bicycle contests at the races September 1 will bring some of the best wheelmen from Chicago and St. Louis to compete for the prizes in the open races. Inquiries came to-day for entry blanks. Frank Dodd is now in Chicago to secure some of the crack wheelmen to be present. Possibly Lumsden and Bliss will be among the visitors.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard

PERSONAL MENTION.

Allan Bevans is in Chicago attending the fair.

J. G. Imboden was in Lovington today on business.

Constable Harry Midkiff is in Sullivan to-day on business.

Clair Wilson left to-day for Assumption to visit relatives.

A. W. Freeman and Paul Smith have returned from Chicago.

Dr. W. M. Catto was at Maroa to-day on a professional visit.

Mrs. W. S. Smith left to-day for Chicago and the World's Fair.

Mrs. C. F. Smith and son are visiting relatives in Lafayette, Ind.

Ald. J. M. Dodd and son, Frank, departed last night for Chicago.

Mayor Harbert, of Macon, was in Decatur yesterday on water works business.

R. J. Roberts and daughter, Miss Mabel, have returned from the World's Fair.

Mrs. E. T. Seger and daughter, Miss Edna, left to-day for Mowequa to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Park left to-day for Chicago to spend a week at the World's Fair.

Misses Maud and Nellie Calhoun departed to-day for Chicago to attend the World's fair.

Miss Jennie Hanrahan, of Macomb City, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. G. Badenhausen.

Charles L. Griswold arrived home this morning from Albion, N. Y., where he visited his sister.

Chris Goebert, stenographer at the H. Mueller M'f'g Co.'s office, is confined to his room by sickness.

William Voorhiss, jr., and family will depart in the near future for Europe, to be absent three or four years.

Mrs. W. O. McNabb and son, Eben, left to-day for Chicago to visit relatives and attend the World's Fair.

Mrs. J. M. Thompson, of Mechanicsburg, arrived in the city to-day to visit her daughter, Mrs. S. T. Nesbit.

Z. M. Gossett, who was called to the city by the death of Mrs. H. M. Gossett, left to-day for his home in Fairmount, Ind.

Misses Mannie and Aggie Milligan entained a company of friends yesterday afternoon at their home on East North street.

Miss Mamie Webb, accompanied by her guest, Miss Nira Dean, of Salina, Kan., left to-day for Macon to visit relatives.

Mrs. George R. Bacon has been seriously ill for some days at her home on West Eldorado street. She has a high fever.

George W. Spofford and daughter, Miss Florence, who have been in the city visiting J. F. Roach and family, left today for their home in Chicago.

Miss Emma Wencke, of Lawrenceburg, Ind., and Mrs. Tillie Schlaudt, of Tacoma, Wash., are in the city visiting their brother, H. T. Wencke and wife.

Fred. W. Brown, of Paris, Canada, now in Chicago visiting the big fair, will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, 737 North Main street, Saturday and Sunday.

A. E. Park returned to-day from Portland Oregon, and the west to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Park. Mr. Park has been absent from the city over five years.

Perry Davis and wife of Springfield will spend Sunday in Decatur, the guests of Sol Ray. Mr. Ray's son, Roy, returned to-day from a visit with relatives in Arthur, Ill.

Parke Hammer, who has been at the French Lick Springs, Indiana, for the benefit of his health, arrived home this morning feeling brighter and stronger than ever. B. G. Peddecord and Aaron Kaufman are still at the Springs.

Springfield *Journal*: Rev. F. Blackburn, formerly of this county and Riverton, is visiting the latter place. Mr. Blackburn is now located at Cocoanut Grove, the most southern town in Florida on the Atlantic coast. He has three charges there and is doing well. He will attend the fair and visit a brother in Decatur before returning home.

Concert Postponed.

By special request of the general public and owing to many disadvantages at this season of the year the Baptist Endeavor society has decided to postpone the Kalophone Quartette Concert from Friday night to some time in November. The expense of bringing the quartette here is considerable, and the society concluded that at this season they could not get an audience that would warrant the bringing of such an expensive organization. Persons who have purchased tickets may have their money refunded by applying wherever they procured their tickets.

Reunion Reception.

Over fifty people attended the Starr family reception and reunion held last evening at the home of Supervisor and Mrs. W. H. Starr on West Main street. The reception was mainly in honor of relatives from the east, including Mrs. Fanny King, of Altoona, Pa., Miss Blanche Hutton, of Harrisburg, Pa., Miss Grace Dearland, of Boiling Springs, Pa., and George W. Houck and family of Mechanicsburg, Pa. The occasion was one of special enjoyment. Choice refreshments were served.

Picnic at Boiling Springs.

The following young ladies and gentlemen met this afternoon and were driven to Boiling Springs, where they will take supper. The members of the party were Bruce Chenoweth, Jim Laux, Bob Nicholson, Lou Rainey, Troy Alexander, Leslie Bevans, Art Smith, Murray Millikin, Baldwin Starr, Fred Stoner, Misses Taylor of Chicago, Ada Haines, Aileen Laux, Alice Piper, Belle Vennigerholz, Anna Walston, Bess Young, Edith Race and Rosie Antrim.

Julius Randall Hurt.

Yesterday Julius H. Randall, one of the contractors on the A. Wait building, accidentally fell a distance of about ten feet and was badly bruised. He is not seriously hurt but it will be some days before he will be able to resume work. He is confined to his home at 613 West Wood street.

Badly Hurt.

A farmer, whose name could not be learned, called at the Decatur Coal company's office this morning for coal, and he drove to the shute. Without getting away from the mouth of the shute he pulled open the apron, and the coal rolled down upon him hurting him badly.

All in the Family.

L. K. Brainard of Springfield yesterday received his commission as assistant United States district attorney for the Southern district of Illinois. He is a nephew of the wife of Senator John M. Palmer.

Closing Out.

During this week we will close out our Refrigerators at less than cost. Call and examine them. C. L. GRISWOLD & Co.

TWO FINGERS AMPUTATED

As a Result of an Accident to Leslie Burch at Mills' Planing Mill.

To-day at 1:30 o'clock an accident happened to Leslie Burch at Mills' planing mill, by which he not only loses the ends of two fingers, but will not be able to resume work for some weeks to come. He was at work at the shaper and accidentally caught his left hand in the machine. Before he could help himself three fingers and his thumb were terribly cut. He was assisted to a street car by friends. Dr. William Barnes was called on, and that physician found it necessary to amputate the first joints of the index and second fingers. Burch is a married man residing on West Cerro Gordo street.

A CASE OF CHOLERA

And Another Revealing Choleraic Symptoms—Undergoing Disinfection.

QUARANTINE, N. Y., Aug. 10.—The following bulletin was issued yesterday by Dr. Jenkins: Vincenza Caiglistro, aged 25 years, a passenger on the steamer Karamania, was removed, Tuesday, from Hoffman island, to the hospital at Swinburne island, suffering with a slight diarrhœa. The bacteriological examination reveals the presence of the spirillum of Asiatic cholera.

"Domico Barata, aged 22 years, another passenger, was removed from Hoffman island to the hospital, suffering from cholera'c symptoms, but the bacteriological examination proves negative. The case was not Asiatic cholera. He recovered and was re-returned to Hoffman island.

"Lorenzo W. Moracco, the first patient removed, is convalescing. The steamer Massilia is undergoing the customary disinfection. An excellent steam disinfecting chamber is a part of the steamer's equipment, through which the baggage of the passengers is now being passed. All are well on board.

QUARANTINE, S. I., Aug. 10.—Health Officer Jenkins last night issued the following bulletin:

9 P. M.—There are no new cases to report The cases are about the same as at noon The two cases in the Hoffman Island hospital continue to improve. The disinfection of baggage of passengers of the Massalia is nearly completed.

"Old Virginia's" Day at the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Virginia was honored yesterday in a most conspicuous manner as the mother state of the Union. The national commission adjourned without transacting any business to attend the exercises in Music hall. Director-General Davis came upon the platform with Gen. St. Clair and shook hands with United States Senator Daniel, Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, Col. A. S. Buford, president of the Virginia World's fair building, and other prominent Virginians, who were on the platform. Commissioner of Virginia, Mrs. John S. Wise, Mrs. John Paul, the lady manager from the Old Dominion state, and most of the state officials connected with the fair also faced the audience of 2,500 people. It was a typical southern gathering as anyone could tell when the stirring strains of "Dixie" fell from the instruments of the Iowa state band.

Such a spontaneous outburst of applause has not been heard in the White city since President Cleveland pressed the button on the first day of May. The leader of the band was compeled to acknowledge the compliment by calling for the playing of a plantation melody.

Col. A. S. Buford, a typical Virginia gentleman, 68 years of age, stirred up the patriotism and state pride of his audience in an historical speech and introduced Gen. Lee who was received with much enthusiasm and was followed by Senator Daniel in a happy speech.

PROHIBITION.

The Practical Effect of Mr. Carlisle's Order on Distillers.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 10.—The distilleries belonging to the Whisky trust will shut down as a result of the government order requiring payment of taxes in currency. W. N. Hobart, treasurer of the trust, returned yesterday from Peoria where he had been in consultation with President Greenhut. As the result of the conference the order to shut down will go forth "We can do nothing else," Mr. Hobart said. "The government will make no arrangements and we cannot continues as long as the government demands that we should do something impossible. The only course left to us is to shut down, and this we will have to do."

YELLOW JACK AT PENSACOLA.

His Arrival Officially Announced by the Committee Appointed to Receive Him.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Aug. 10.—The Escambia county board of health issued the following official paper yesterday:

The board of health regrets to announce that two deaths occured in this city—those of Her P O Waite and Ellen Wood—both pronounced cases of yellow fever The houses have been isolated, bedding and clothing destroyed, and all necessary precautions taken to prevent the spread of the same The public will be notified immediately if any now cases develop At present there is no cause for undue alarm.

(Signed) ROBERT W HARGIS, M D

President of the Board of Health.

Attest J D Brent Secretary

This created almost a panic, and hundreds of people left the city by last night's train.

FATAL FLAMES.

A Little Girl Roasted and Her Mother Fatally Burned—Seven Horses Burned.

LIMA, O., Aug. 10.—Several buildings burned last evening from a fire that started in the barn of David DeWitt, situated in the rear of the largest barn in town. The fire originated from the children lighting matches and the 4-year-old daughter of De Witt was roasted in the flames. The mother ran to her rescue and fell in a faint as she reached the door of the building and was fatally burned. Seven horses were burned in the barns of William Lautz and Abram Shaw, adjoining, and half a dozen sheds and outbuildings were burned. The loss will be heavy with small insurance.

More Gold Coming Home.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—Gold to the amount of £496,000 was withdrawn from the bank of England to-day for shipment to the United States and £55,000 for shipment to Montreal.

The bank of England is charging a premium on eagles and is holding bar gold at a higher rate. The sum of $880,000 will be shipped to-day for New York on the North German Lloyd steamship Lahn, sailing from Southampton, and the White Star line steamship Britannic, sailing from Liverpool.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The steamship Majestic, which arrived yesterday morning, brought $350,000 in gold.

Take Warning.

If you must smoke try one of Huffman's "Cabarets" or "Little Bip" cigars! Hand-made, Long Havana filler. Sold everywhere. June 24-d1f

DEES & SON, tailors.

LINN & SCRUGGS DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

A WEEK'S SALE.

See What We Offer for This Week.

STOCK TAKING IS FINISHED.

After stock taking finds us with an endless variety of odds and ends in every department, accumulations that must be got rid of at any price. A DOLLAR during this sale possesses DOUBLE PURCHASING STRENGTH, and we advise all to promptly avail themselves of this bargain offering.

Fast black lawn at 5c.
Best Wool challies at 9c.
Dotted Swiss muslin, colored figures at 7c.
Calicoes, fall styles, at 4⅝c.
Imported Scotch Zephyr Cloth, always sold at 15c, at 9c.
Best Toil du Nord Ginghams at 8½c.
Figured Printed lawns at 12½c.
Figured Printed crepons at 12½c.
Sateen finished calicoes at 5c.
Dress Goods at 12½c, 19c, 22c.
Ladies' black pure silk mitts at 25c.
Ladies' 7-hook extra fine kid gloves in ox blood, green, blue, navy, tan, brown, slate, and white, with black stitching and black buttons. This lot of gloves so'd for $1.50 and $1.75—sale price 98 cents.
Ladies' silk waists, formerly sold $3 98, $4.50, and $5.00, at $2.98.
All our Cambric Organdies and Gingham Wrappers at $1.49.
Ladies' extra fine white lawn waists, formerly sold $3.98 and $4.98, at $2.98.
6-4 Chenille table covers worth $2 at 98c.
Plain chenille portierres worth $6.00 at $4.98.
Home-made Sateen finished comforts worth $3, at $1.98
11-4 strictly all wool, Monarch gray blankets, extra fine quality, worth $6, at $3.98.
50 doz. boy's shirt waists 15c each.
"3 B. C. Y," Ladies' ribbed jersey vests, high neck, short sleeves, formerly sold 35c, at 21c.
Ladies' lisle thread vests, silk taped, neck and arms, formerly sold 50c, at 33c.
Ladies' handkerchiefs, latest fall sty'es colored, embroideried edge, in colors, worth 50c, at 25c.
Ladies' Seamless fast black hose, 2 pairs for 25c.
Ladies' Gauntlet gloves at 19c.
Tied silk bows, with elastic bands 25c.
All our 75c, 98c, and $1.25 children's hats at 49 cents.
100 doz. pure linen towels, 23x50, worth 50c, at 25c.
300 doz. linen doyles, 50c, 65c, and 69c a doz.
175 pieces brown sheeting at 4⅜c.
Fancy checked nainsook at 7½c.

LINN & SCRUGGS DRY GOODS AND CARPET COMPANY.

HOUSEHOLD BREVITIES.

—Ginger Cakes.—Two cups molasses; two eggs; one cup lard; one teaspoon ginger; one tablespoon soda, leveled off; a pinch of salt and flour enough to roll well.—Detroit Free Press.

—Gluten Crackers.—These are tempting, served with a bowl of broth, on the waiter of an invalid. To one-half cup of cream add a half-teaspoonful of salt and enough gluten flour to make a stiff dough; mix with knife, roll out as thin as possible, cut in biscuit shape, prick with fork and bake in moderate oven.—N. Y Observer.

—Egg Soup.—To one quart of boiling water, add a lump of butter the size of an egg rolled in flour, one cup of sweet cream, salt and pepper to taste. Beat three eggs until yolks and whites are slightly broken, stir into boiling mixture, let stand a moment and serve. To be eaten with bits of bread fried brown in butter.—Home

—Good Plain Cake.—Cream together half a cupful of butter and two of sugar; add the beaten yolks of three eggs, half a cupful of milk and three of cupsfuls of flour, into which has been sifted three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, and, lastly, the whites of the eggs, beaten until light and frothy; stir briskly, pour into buttered pan and bake in moderate oven.—Boston Herald.

—In the dress hodge-podge which is the fashion of the moment, all styles being the styles, it is painful to notice symptoms of a return to the earring. A pretty ear is a thousand times prettier unmarred by the cruel puncture and unburdened with the disfiguring pendant, while a homely, ill-shaped ear is only accentuated and brought to notice by a glint of gold and a flash of jewel. Pass the earring by, along with other relics of barbarism, mesdames, and display your gems in other ways.—N. Y. Times.

—Lady Cake.—Beat one-quarter pound of butter to a cream and add gradually one and one-half cups of granulated sugar. Mix and add slowly, beating all the while, one cup of lukewarm water, then measure two and one-half cups of sifted flour. Add one-half of this to the butter, beat vigorously. Beat the whites of four eggs to a stiff froth, add half of this to a batter. Mix, stir in the remaining half of the flour, beat again. Add the juice and the grated yellow rind of one lemon, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and the remaining half of the whites of the eggs; bake in a moderately quick oven for three-quarters of an hour.—Boston Budget.

—Chicken Jelly.—One old fowl, two quarts of cold water, celery, salt. Cut the chicken in pieces and put in water with the salt; simmer till the scum rises; skim, add the celery, and boil slowly but steadily till tender, when the liquid should be reduced one-half. Strain, set away over night and in the morning remove the fat. Heat the consomme, season and pour into molds; or the juice and and pared rind of one lemon, with the partially beaten whites and broken shells of two eggs, may be added and mixed thoroughly with the warm consomme and cooked ten minutes. Let it stand five more and strain through a jelly bag. Should the liquid not jell during the night, add one-third of a box of gelatine, dissolved in cold consomme, with the eggs and lemon, and finish as directed.—Housekeeper.

Sales of Real Estate.

Henry H. Brown to W. R. and Charles F. Recker, the northwest quarter and the northwest quarter of 9, 16, 2 east—$1200.

L. F. Houck to Ada J. Houck, lot 10, block 4, in Durfee & King's addition to Decatur—$25.

THE Borden trial cost the state of Massachusetts $14,000, but the mystery is still delightfully at the old stand.

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EDNA GOLD MINING STOCK.

DOWN TO GOLD.

Information from the Edna Gold Mining Comesny property in Boulder county, Colorado, is to the effect that development work is being pushed ahead rapidly. The price of the shares since August 1st has been raised to 15 cents, and may go to 25 cents before December. Rich tellurium rock, such as was found in the adjoining Smoky Hill mine, worth $4.00 a pound, thickly studded with gold, is now being found at the bottom of the Edna shaft, and it gets richer as the work proceeds. Specimens of the gold ore will be in Decatur in a few days. Parties desiring shares in blocks of 1000 or more can still get them at 10 cents each. Several parties can go in together and the certificates will be issued in fractions of 1000. Per order of W. G. Nagely, secretary; J. J. H. Young, Decatur agent—aug. 9-d1f

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, September Term, A. D. 1893.

William T. Moffett et al, executors, &c., vs. Laura A. Evans et al—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavits filed in my office that the defendants, Laura A. Evans, William T. Evans, Edward Evans, Harry Evans, David Evans, Keith Evans and Clara Evans are non-residents of the state of Illinois, notice is hereby given to you that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the fourth Monday of September, A.D. 1893, notice you, the said Laura A. Evans, William T. Evans, Edward Evans, Harry Evans, David Evans, Keith Evans and Clara Evans shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 10th day of August, A. D. 1893.

R. H. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County.
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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

CHICAGO, Ill., August 10, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Opening.	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Aug	59	59⅛	59	59⅛
Sep	60⅛	60⅝	60⅛	60⅝
Dec	66⅞	67⅜	67⅛	67⅜
CORN—				
Aug	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞
Sep	40⅛	40⅛	39⅞	39⅞
Dec	....	....	....	....
May	43¼	43¼	42⅞	42⅞
OATS—				
Aug	24	....	....	....
Sept	25¼	25¼	24⅞	....
May	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛	....
PORK—				
Sep	12 80	....	....	....
Jan	....	....	....	....
LARD—				
Sep	8 40	8 40	....	....
Oct	....	....	....	....
Jan	....	....	....	....
RIBS—				
Sep	7 50	7 50	....	....
Oct	....	....	....	....

ESTIMATES FOR-MONDAY.

Wheat, 95; Corn, 250; Oats, [illegible]
Hogs 10,000.

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR[illegible]

Wheat, all grades, 112, Contract, [illegible]
Corn, all grades, 252, Contract, [illegible]
Oats, all grades, 233, Contract, [illegible]

Puts on Sept wheat [illegible]
Calls " " [illegible]
Puts " Sept corn [illegible]
Calls " " [illegible]

Not much doing in wheat to-[illegible] about the opening. Pr[illegible] report to help people in [illegible]

Corn plenty at the off[illegible] report of rain at Omaha [illegible]

Oats and provisions [illegible]

PROF. NICHOLAS [illegible] more, author of "[illegible]" celebrated his eig[illegible] Monday last.

ST. Nicholas [illegible]

CHAS. LA[illegible]

South side of Old [illegible]